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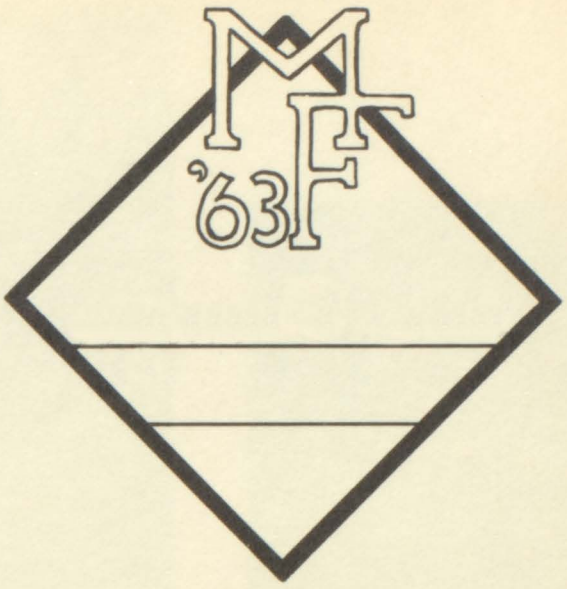

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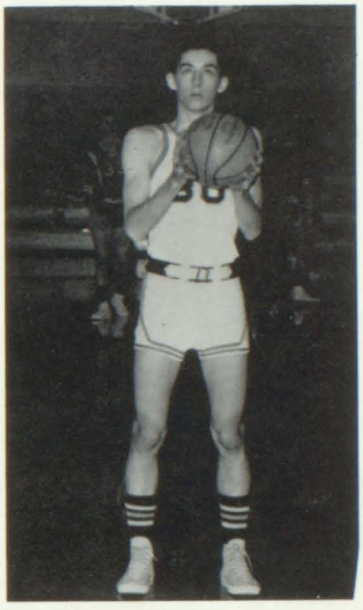

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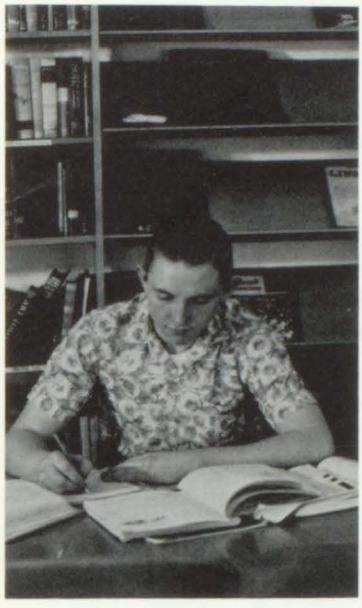

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1963

Trojanaire

SENIOR CLASS

MAROA-FORSYTH HIGH SCHOOL

Maroa, Illinois

MAROA-FORSYTH HIGH

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Editor's Corner

We, the co-editors, sincerely hope that all of you will enjoy reading and rereading your 1963 Trojanaire. We have done our best in trying to make this, the 48th annual published at Maroa-Forsyth High, the best ever.

There were many times this year when we wondered if we would ever get all the pictures taken, not to mention getting the annual finished by our deadline. However, the wonderful cooperation of the faculty and students has enabled us to do so and for this we are grateful.

Now that the annual is nearly completed and the last copy sheet ready to turn in, we feel that this Trojanaire is one you will always look back upon with pride and one that will bring back many fond memories.

Thank you,

Suzy Boyd

Jim Crouch

Dedication

We, the Senior Class of 1963, gratefully dedicate the Trojanaire to Mrs. Coen, who has been a constant source of help, encouragement, and advice in making this years annual a success.

Mrs. Coen, an outstanding classroom teacher, always shows remarkable patience and understanding with all her students. For this we thank her.

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Advisor - Mrs. Coen

ADMINISTRATION

Superintendent's Message

TO THE CLASS OF 1963, THE TROJANAIRE STAFF, AND THE STUDENT BODY OF MAROA-FORSYTH HIGH:

To the class of 1963 I would express my personal pride in being able to associate with a group of students as nice in every way as you have been. We hope we have given you the knowledge and skills that will make for a rich and profitable life ahead. You have proven yourselves to be a truly outstanding group; I believe your accomplishments speak for themselves. The best of everything throughout the coming years. Come back often and visit us. We expect great things from the class of '63.

To the hardworking Trojanaire staff, particularly the co-editors, I offer congratulations on a job well done. The imaginative and creative planning that went into the Trojanaire are quite evident. Your fine cooperation was appreciated by your sponsor, and the finished product is a credit to you and your school.

To all students - I hope this year has been a profitable and happy one that you will remember with favor. I would like to encourage you in your work and thank you for making my first year as your Superintendent a most enjoyable one. I don't believe you could find a better group of students anywhere than we have at Maroa-Forsyth High.

Sincerely yours,

Robert A. Paxson

ROBERT A. PAXSON
Superintendent

Principal's Message

TO THE CLASS OF 1963:

You are leaving our school after spending four years of academic and social preparation for your life ahead. We shall miss you.

You have had the benefit of excellent teachers and a sound educational program which our fine community has provided for you. We trust that you, as an individual, have made the best use of these facilities.

Your high school experiences here are just the beginning of the great journey ahead of you. Sometimes this trek can be long and difficult. You will need to keep your head high, your shoulders back, and walk ever straight toward your life goals with confidence - you are prepared.

The best to each and every one of you. Stop by and see us upon your return to Maroa-Forsyth High School. It has been our pleasure to have been associated with your fine class - The Class of 1963.

Sincerely,

John Dal Santo

JOHN DAL SANTO
Principal

Board of Education

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Unit Secretary

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High School Secretary

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KEITH WILSON
Janitor

FRANCIS BROWN
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Flag Bearers

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Jim Campbell, Charles Ohlemeyer

SECOND SEMESTER
Ron Margenthaler, Steve Roberts

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REICH BROTHERS JEWELERS
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FACULTY

Math

FRANK JOHNSON

B. S., Southern Illinois University

Algebra I, II, Plane Geometry, Solid Geometry and Trigonometry, Freshman Sponsor

7th Hour Solid and Trig.

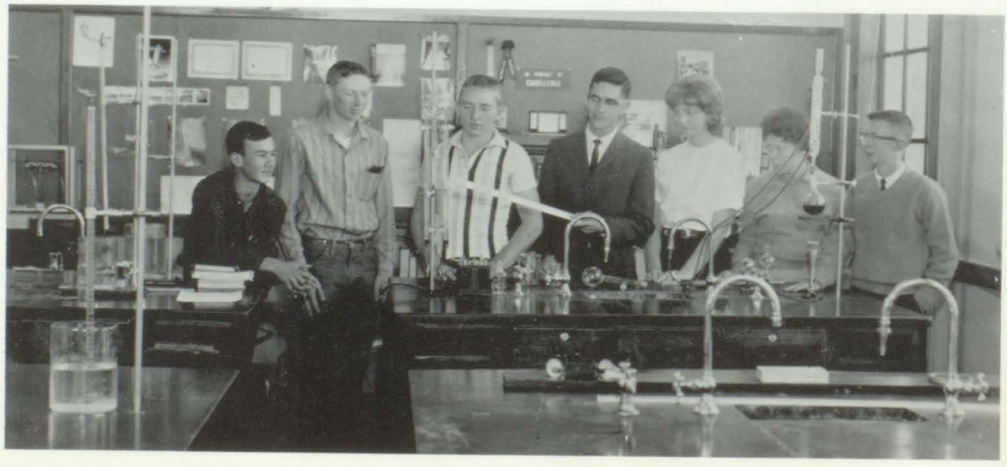
Science

DONALD FENTEM

B. S. of Ed., Western Illinois Univ.

Chemistry, Physics, Basic Math, Science Club Sponsor, Junior Sponsor

5th Hour Chemistry Lab



English

MRS. BARBARA WOOD

B. A., Murray State College

English II, III, IV

7th Hour English III

History

RALPH MILLER

B. S., M. S., Southern Illinois Univ.

World History, American Problems, Driver's Training, Basketball Coach, Assistant Football Coach, Track Coach

3rd Hour World History

Home Ec

MRS. VERNETTE MILLER

B. S., Univ. of Illinois, Univ. of Wisconsin, Columbia Teachers College

Home Economics I, II, III, and IV, F. H. A. Advisor

7th and 8th Hour Home Ec. II

Ag

M. J. NICOL

B. S., Illinois State Normal Univ., M. S., Iowa State College, Univ. of Iowa, Univ. of Illinois, Wisconsin State College

Agriculture I, II, III, and IV, F. F. A. Sponsor

1st and 2nd Hour Ag. II

Shop

LARRY FINLEY

B. S., Eastern Illinois University

Industrial Arts I, II, III, and IV, Senior Sponsor

1st and 2nd Hour Shop

Commerce

MRS. BETTY COEN

B. S., University of Illinois

Typing I, II, Bookkeeping, General Business, Shorthand, Trojanaire Sponsor

3rd Hour Typing I

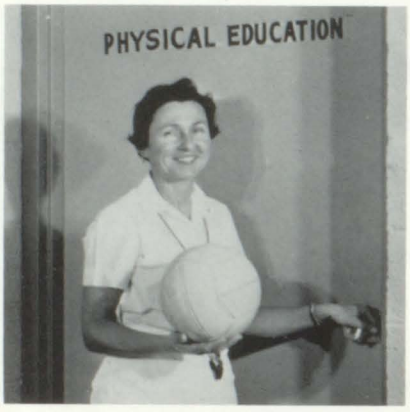
Boys' P.E.

WALTER BOYD

B.S., James Millikin University

Boys' Physical Education, American History, World Geography, Head Football Coach, Asst. Basketball Coach, Baseball Coach

5th Hour Boys' P.E.



Girls' P.E.

MRS. WM. BERRY

B.S., Santa Ana Junior College, Univ. of Illinois, Univ. of California

Girls' Physical Education, Pep Club Sponsor, Cheerleader Advisor, Sophomore Advisor

4th Hour Girls' P.E.

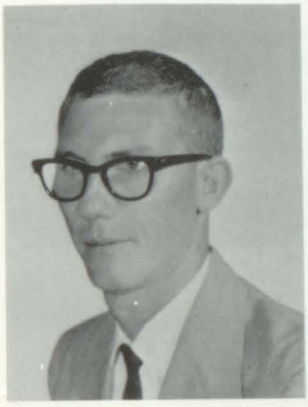
Chorus

MRS. DORIS DOTSON

B.P.S.M., Indiana University, Millikin University, University of Illinois

Boys' Chorus, Girls' Chorus, Elementary Music

Honor Choir Practice



Band

CHARLES WOOD

B.S. in Ed., Illinois State Normal University

Unit Band Director

Trumpet Lesson

English and Speech

PATRICIA VAN SCYOC

B. S., Illinois State Normal Univ.

English I, Speech, Librarian, Play Director

6th Hour Speech

French and Biology

CHALMER LOVELL

B. A., Greenville College, M. A., Univ. of Michigan, Univ. of Illinois, Eastern Illinois Univ. Univ. of Arizona

French I, II, Biology, Student Council Sponsor

3rd Hour French I

Guidance

JOHN DAL SANTO

B.S., Illinois State Normal Univ., M.S., Illinois State Normal Univ., Ed.S., Univ. of Colorado

Principal, Guidance Director

Guidance

Speech Correction

MAX SCOTT

B.S., Illinois State Normal Univ.

Speech Correctionist, Maroa and Argenta School Units

Speech Correction

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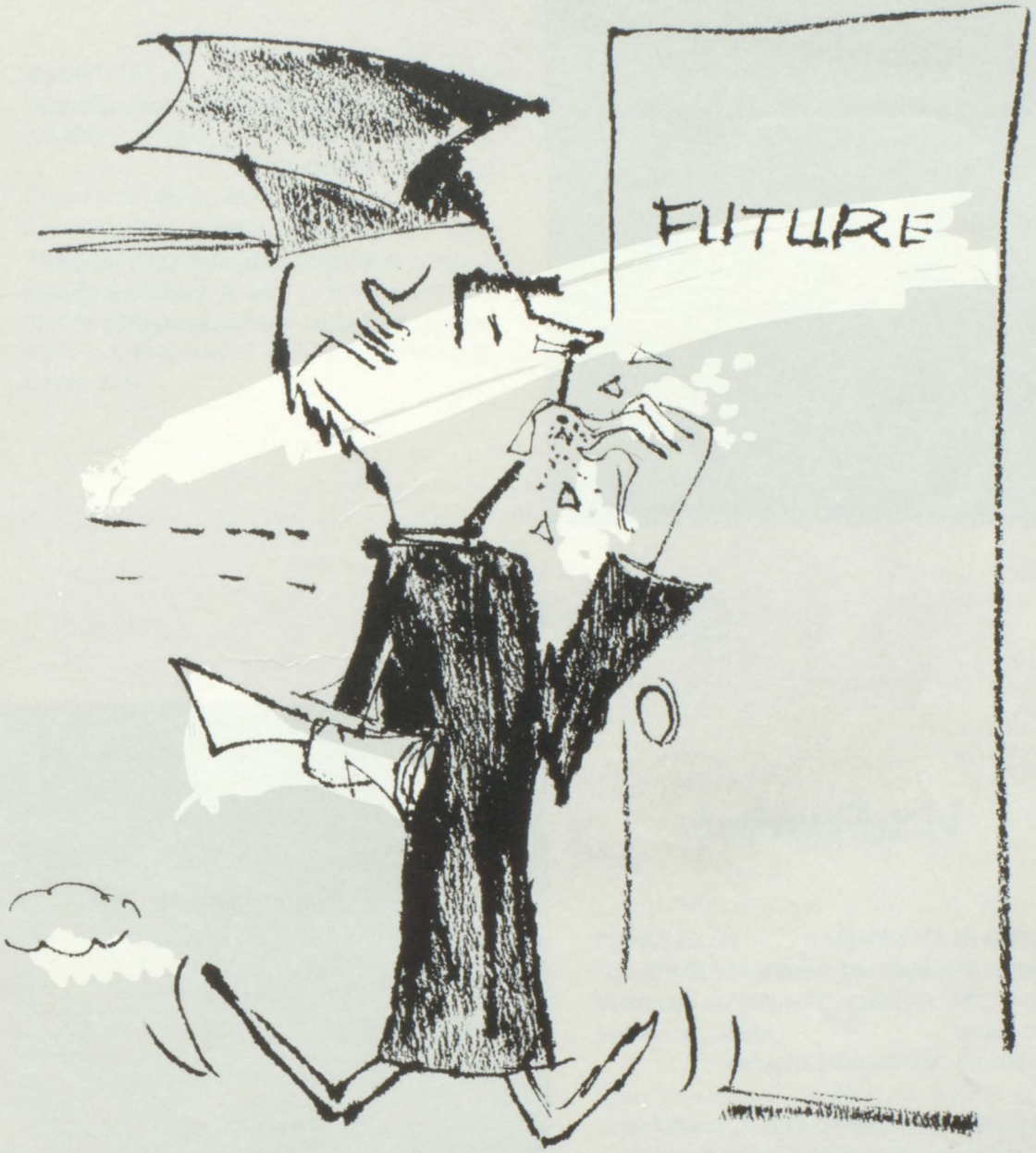

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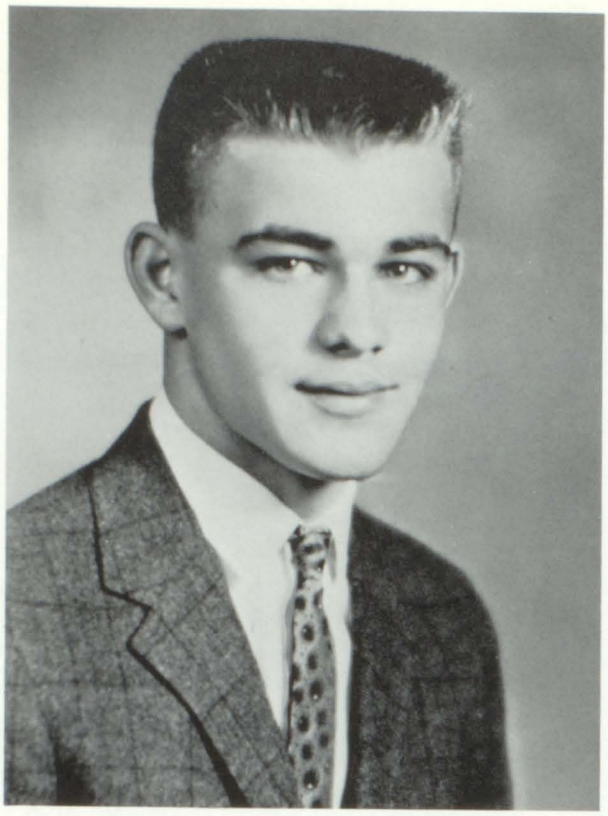


President

GARY SCHROLL "Gary"
"A little nonsense now and then, is relished by the best of men."
Ambition: Draftsman

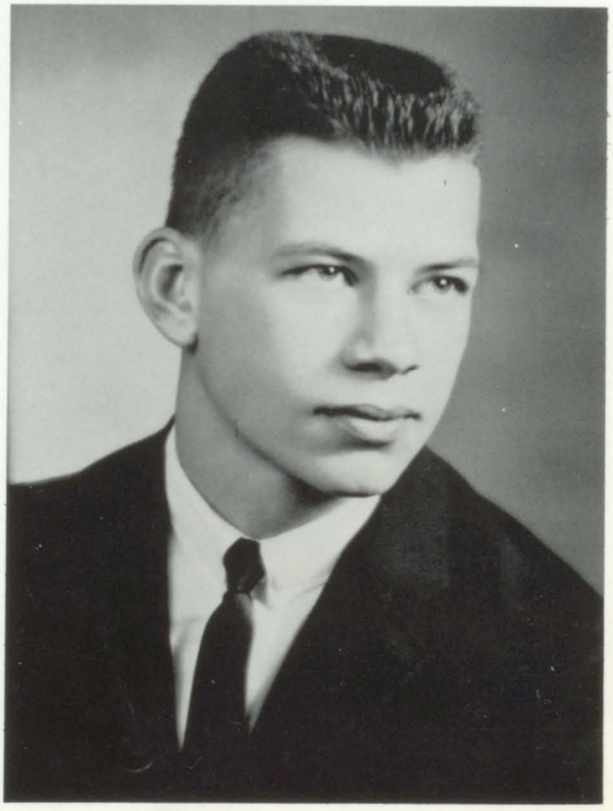
Class President 4; Pep Club 3; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 2, 4; Junior Play 3; Senior Play Cast 4; Christmas Speech Program 4; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 4.

Senior Officers

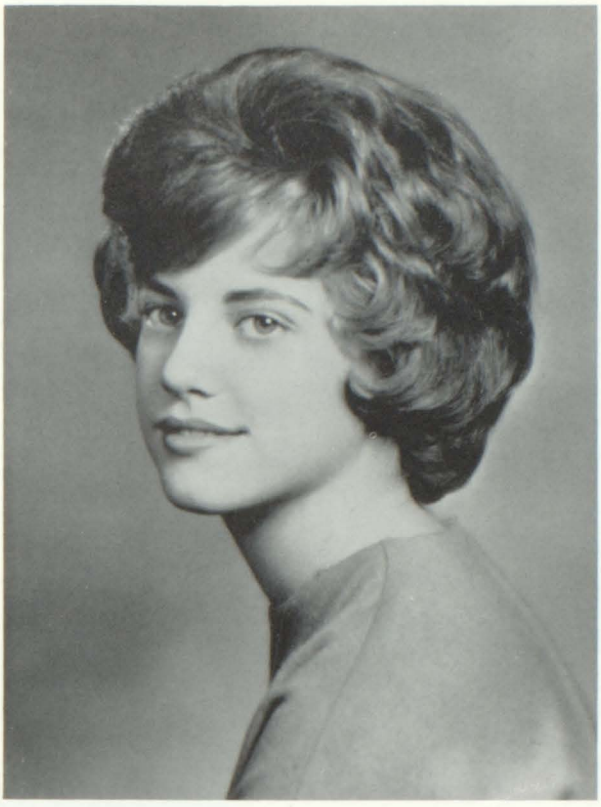
Vice-President

JEROLD ALAN NEWMAN "Jerry"
"We've searched and searched to find a phrase, but somehow 'Friendly' is the one that stays."
Ambition: Mechanical Engineer

Class Vice-President 4; Band 1, 2; Student Council 2; Science Club 4; Homecoming Skit 4; Homecoming King Candidate 4, King 4; Christmas Speech Program 4; Annual Staff 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Pana High School 1, 2, 3.



Secretary



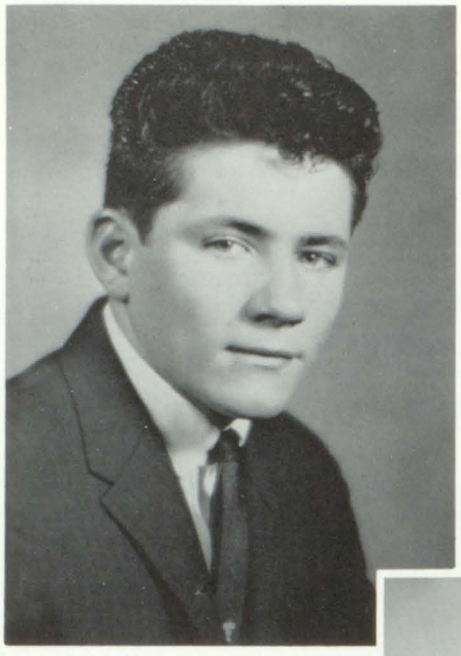
MARLA KAY ATCHISON "Marla"
"She likes to talk fast so she can say more."
Ambition: Teacher

Class Secretary 4, Reporter 3; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play 4; Christmas Speech Program 4; Blue & Gold 2; Annual Staff 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleading Camp 3, 4.

Treasurer

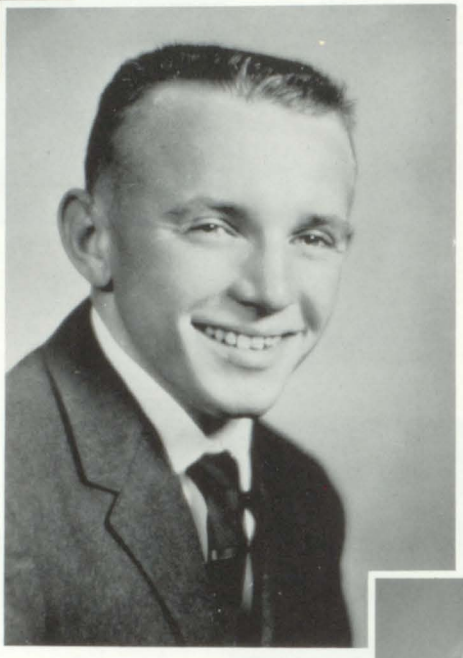
JUDY GILLEN "Judy"
"Gentle in her manner she does bold things in a quiet way."
Ambition: Nurse

Class Treasurer 4, Secretary 3; Band 1, 2; Girls' Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 2, 3, 4; Honor Choir 4; Solo 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Contest 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1; Librarians 1; Science Club 1; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 2, 4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Annual Staff 4.



FRANCIS W. BLICKENSDERFER "Bud"
"He has the making of being the best farmer in the business."
Ambition: College

Class President 3, V.-Pres. 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Ensemble 3, 4; Honor Choir 4; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4, Treas. 3; Land Judging Team 3, 4; Dairy Judging Team 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4, V.-Pres. 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 2, 4; Xmas Candidate 1, 2, 3, 4, King 4; Football 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Natl. Honor Society 4, DeKalb Award 4.



JAMES CAMPBELL
"Jim"
"I could be good, but it's more fun this way."
Ambition: Air Force

F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Reporter 4; Land Judging Team 3, 4; Flag Bearer 3, 4; Driver's Training 2; Warrensburg-Latham 1, 2.

MARY ANN BOLTON "Mary Ann"
"I am a part of all that I have met."
Ambition: Secretary

Band 1, 2; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sporthead 4; F. H. A. 3, 4, Secretary 4; Pep Club 3; Science Club 1; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 4; Homecoming Candidate 2, 3, 4; Xmas Candidate 3, 4, Queen 4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Annual Staff 4.

PATRICIA KAY ARNOLD "Kay"
"They say love is contagious. I wonder if I'm Immune?"
Ambition: Beautician

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Archery Team 4; F. H. A. 1, 3, 4; Science Club 1, Science Fair 1; Homecoming Skit 2, 4; Christmas Candidate 4; Annual Staff 4.

PATRICIA ALEXANDER
"Pat"
"A daughter of the gods, divinely, and most divinely fair."
Ambition: Beautician

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Historian 4; Driver's Training 2; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; Homecoming Skit 4.

CHARLES EDWIN BLISS "Charles"
"No hurry, no worry, just life as it comes."
Ambition: Grain or Beef Farmer

Chorus 3, 4, Ensemble 3, 4, Music Contest 3, 4, Music Camp 3; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 4, Sentinel 3, Parliamentary Procedure Team 3; Driver's Training 2; Jr. Play 3; Annual Staff 4.

JAMES R. CROUCH "Jim"
"Just give me a chance and I'll try to be boss."
Ambition: Architectural Engineer

Class President 2, Treasurer 3, Reporter 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Honor Choir 3, 4, Ensemble 3, 4, Solo 4, Music Contest 3, 4; Student Council 2, 4, President 4; Librarians 2, 3, 4, President 3; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Science Fair 1, U of I Summer Science Program 3; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 1, 3, 4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play 4; Blue & Gold 1, 2; Annual Staff 3, 4, Co-Editor 4, Jr. Editor 3; Christmas Speech Program 4; Natl. Honor Society 4; Bausch-Lomb Science Award 4; Valedictorian 4.

DARLENE BREWER
"Darlene"
"Has anybody seen my halo?"
Ambition: College

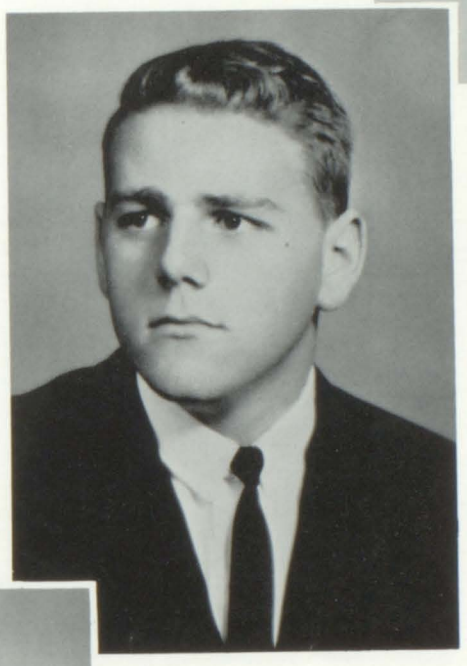
G. A. A. 1; Driver's Training 2; Annual Staff 4; Drama Club 1, Vice-President 1; Clinton High 1.

MARCIA HINKLE "Marcia"
"I'm just as big for me as you are for you."
Ambition: Elementary teacher

Class Secretary 1; Band 1, Band Ensemble 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3; Science Club 1, 2, 3, Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 3, 4; Christmas Candidate 1, 2; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play 4; Annual Staff 4; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Natl. Honor Society 4; Salutatorian 4.

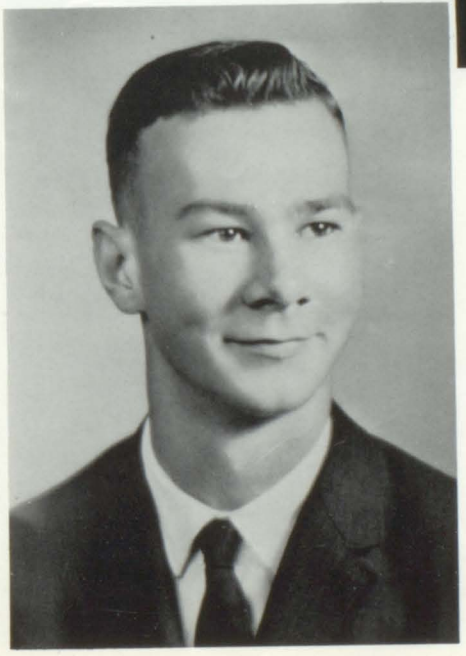
CAROLYN FERNE BIRGE "Carolyn"
"Her ways are of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace."
Ambition: Teacher

G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Archery Team 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Reporter 4; Science Club 1; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Annual Staff 4; Natl. Honor Society 4.



DARRELL ALTIC
"Darrell"
"Frequently within my brain I gently think a thought."
Ambition: Work

Pep Club 1; Driver's Training 2; Senior Play Cast 4; Xmas Speech Program 4; Annual Staff 4.



GARY RICHARD AMBERG "Hoppy"
"I don't agree with all opinions; I have some of my own."
Ambition: College

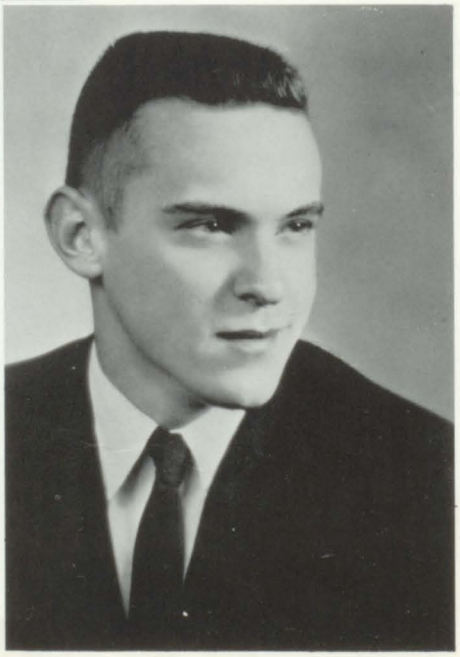
Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Xmas Speech Program 4; Annual Staff 4; Basketball Manager 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track Manager 2, 3, 4.

SUE ELAINE DOTSON "Sue"
"I try all things. I achieve what I can."
Ambition: Acting School

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Choir 4; Ensemble 3, 4; Music Contest 1, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 2; Archery Team 2, 3, 4; Swimming Team 1, 2, 3, 4; Basket Shooting Team 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4, V. -Pres. 4; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 1, 4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Blue & Gold 1, 2; Annual Staff 4; Xmas Speech Program 4.

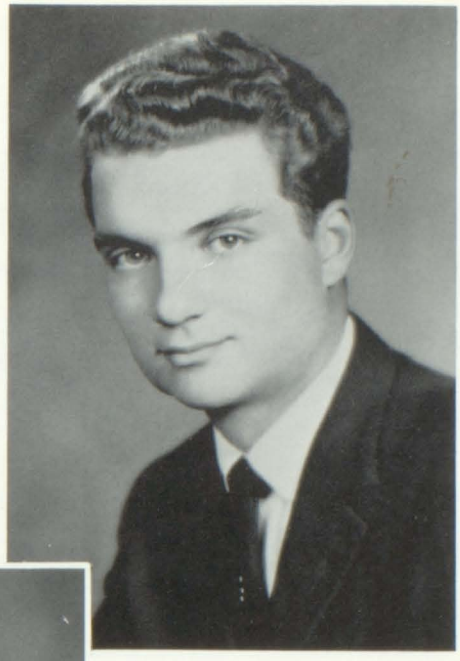
RITA SUE GARFOOT
"Rita"
"Just give me an easy life free from study."
Ambition: Marriage

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Fair 1; Science Club 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 4; Sr. Play 4.



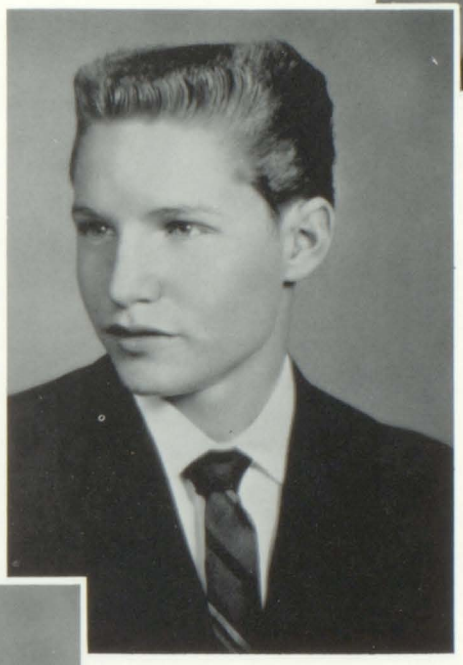
JOHN WRAY DECLERK "Jack"
"Youth calls for pleasure, pleasure calls for love."
Ambition: Furnace Installer

Band 3, 4; Chorus 4; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 2; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play 4; Christmas Speech Program 4; Baseball 4; Industrial Arts Club 1.



PAUL EDWARD GROVES "Paul"
"He never has a worry or sorrow, what's not done can wait until tomorrow."
Ambition: Air Force

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Christmas Speech Program 4; Annual Staff 4.



ROBERT MATHEWS
"Bob"
"Not rowdy, just full of fun."
Ambition: Air Force

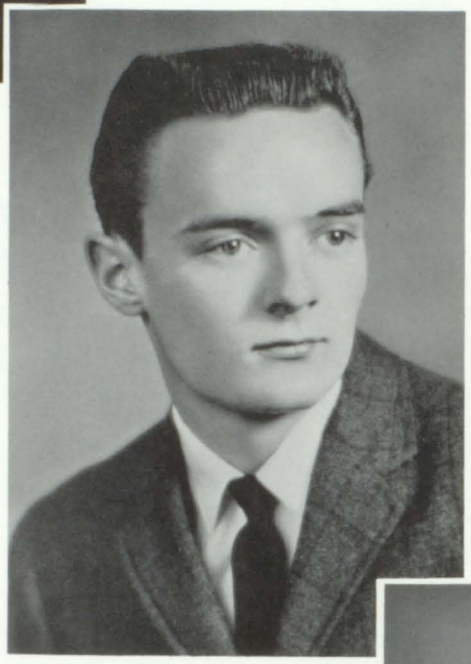
Science Club 1; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; Christmas Speech Program 4.

SHARON ANN FORE "Sharon"
"Don't let your education interfere with a good time."
Ambition: Marriage

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Choir 4; Music Camp 3; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Archery Team 3, 4; Basket Shooting Team 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. Rally Day 2, 3; Librarians 4; Science Club 1, 2; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 1, 4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; Annual Staff 4.

SUSAN D. BOYD "Suzy"
"There is never a dull moment when she's around."
Ambition: College

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Honor Choir 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Sporthead 2, Treas. 3, President 4, Archery Team 1, 2, 3, 4, Swimming Team 1, 2, 3, 4, Camp Delegate 2; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Treas. 3, Rec. Ch. 4; Pep Club 2, V.-Pres. 2; Science Club 1, 2, 3, Secretary 1, Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 1, 3, 4; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Blue & Gold 2; Annual Staff 4, Co-Editor 4; D. A. R. Award 4; Natl. Honor Society 4.



WALTER WILLIAMS
"Walt"
"I'm a wild and woolly lad and definitely motor mad."
Ambition: Business

Driver's Training 2; Sr. Play 4; Xmas Speech Program 4; Basketball 2, 3.

MELANIE McGUIRE "Melanie"
"A good character shines by its own light."
Ambition: College

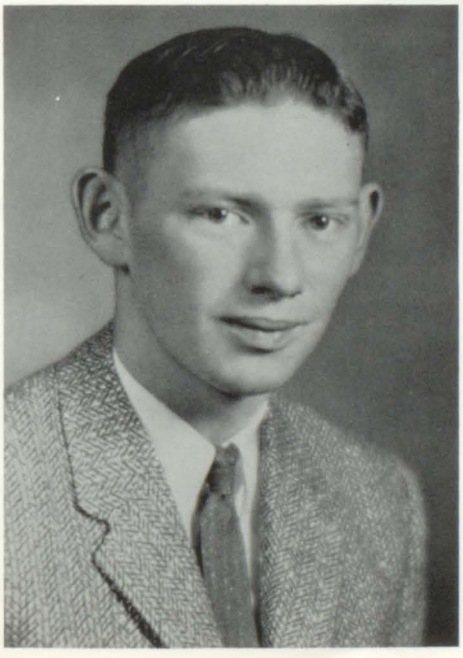
Class V.-Pres. 1, 3, Secretary 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Honor Choir 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3, Sporthead 4, Archery Team 3, 4, Swimming Team 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4, Camp Delegate 4; Pep Club 4, President 4; Science Club 1, Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 3, 4; Homecoming Candidate 1, 3, 4, Queen 4; Xmas Candidate 2, 3; Sweetheart Candidate 1; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play 4; Xmas Speech Program 4; Blue & Gold 2; Annual Staff 4.

JIM NORFLEET "Jim"
"Make much of me ladies, a good man is hard to find."
Ambition: Air Force

Class Treasurer 2; Student Council 1, 3, Treasurer 3, Convention Delegate 1; Science Club 2, 4; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 1, 2, 3, 4; Homecoming Candidate 4; Xmas Candidate 1, 2; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; Annual Staff 4; Football 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1.

LINDA ERLENBUSCH
"Linda"
"Quiet and sincere with success her main object."
Ambition: Business College

F. H. A. 1, 4; Driver's Training 2; Senior Play 4; Annual Staff 4.

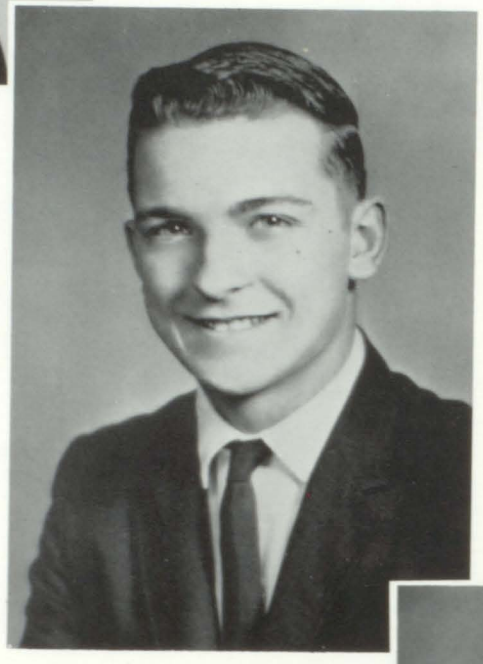


CHARLES OHLEMEYER "Ohly"
"With hair like that and a personality uncommon to most redheads, how can he miss."
Ambition: Pro baseball player or coach

Student Council 2; Flag Bearer 3, 4; Science Club 4; Homecoming Skit 4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 1, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 4.

DONNA MOBERLY "Donna"
"The feet that crept so slowly to school, went bounding out to play."
Ambition: College

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Sporthead 4; Basket Shooting Team 2; Swimming Team 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, Rec. Ch. 2; Student Council 4; Pep Club 1, 3, 4, Treasurer 3; Science Club 1, 2, 3, V.-Pres. 2; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 4; Sweetheart Candidate 2; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play 4; Xmas Speech Program 4; Speech Contest 4; Blue & Gold 2; Annual Staff 4; Cheerleading 1, 3, 4, Camp 3, 4.



JACK THRALL
"Jack"
"The harder I try to be good, the worse I am."
Ambition: Air Force

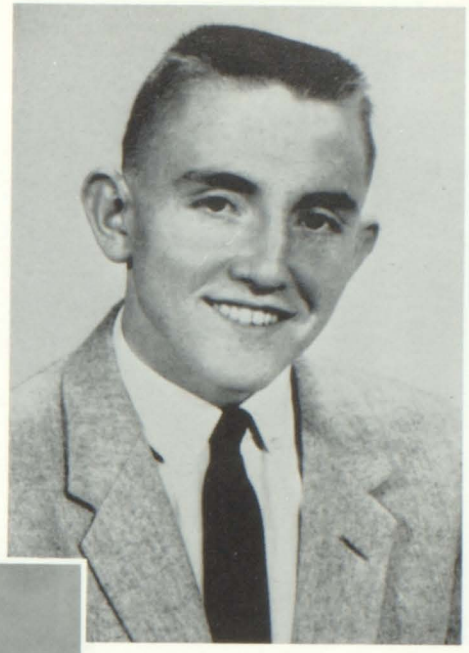
F. F. A. 3, 4; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 1, 2, 4; Homecoming Candidate 2; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play 4; Football 1, 4; Basketball 1.

JANET ANN PARKER "Janet"
"A modest miss with locks of gold. She is never shy and never bold."
Ambition: Marriage

Class President 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Choir 4; Accompanist 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, Pt. Chairman 1, 2; F. H. A. 1; Student Council 1, 3; Science Club 1; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Candidate 1, 2; Jr. Play 3; Annual Staff 4.

JAMES McKEE "Jim"
"He believes in getting things done."
Ambition: Civil Engineer

Pep Club 4; Science Club 4; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 3, 4; Homecoming Candidate 3; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Annual Staff 4; Football 3, 4, Co-Captain 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Clinton High 1, Natl. Honor Society 4.



LINDA LEE SPRAGUE
"Linda"
"No, I'm not talking again, I'm talking yet."
Ambition: Marriage

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1; Science Fair 1; Jr. Play 3; Annual Staff 4.

PAUL PULLIAM "Paul"
"Take your time, girls! Line up on the right."
Ambition: Armed Forces

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2; Science Club 1, 2; Driver's Training 2; Junior Play 3; Senior Play 4; Basketball 4; Track 3, 4.

CHERYL SPRECKELMEYER "Cherry"
"Studious and determined to do what she undertakes."
Ambition: Fashion Merchandiser

Class Reporter 2; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Basket Shooting Team 2; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, Reporter 2, Convention Delegate 2; Science Club 1, Treasurer 1, Science Fair 1; Summer Science Program 3; Homecoming Skit 1, 3; Sweetheart Candidate 1, 2; Jr. Play Cast 3; Sr. Play 4; Blue & Gold 1, 2; Driver's Training 2; Annual Staff 4; Betty Crocker Award 4.

RICHARD STEPHENSON
"Poultry"
"We feel he'll die from overwork."
Ambition: Commerce Teacher

F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Poultry Judging Team 3; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 4; Xmas Candidate 3, 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Annual Staff 4.

WYNETTE KAY WIKOFF "Wynette"
"Windy as the breeze, carefree as the trees."
Ambition: Career in Home Economics

Class Reporter 2; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 4; F. H. A. Rally Day 2, 3; Librarians 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3; Science Club 1; Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 2; Jr. Play 3; Blue & Gold 2; Annual Staff 4.

BETH ANN LEIMBACH "Ann"
"She'd stop at the Pearly Gates to ask St. Peter a question."
Ambition: College

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, V. -Pres. 3, 4; Science Club 1, Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Senior Play Cast 4; Xmas Speech Program 4; Annual Staff 4.

JERRY DEAN WOOD
"Jerry"
"Not to be hurried or rushed."
Ambition: Minister

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Honor Choir 4; Ensemble 3, 4, Solo 4, Music Contest 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2, 4; Science Fair 1; Ind. Arts Club 1, 2; Driver's Training 2; Xmas Speech Program 4.

SHARRON WILLIAMS "Sharron"
"Success is hers if she continues."
Ambition: Secretary

Chorus 3, 4, Honor Choir 4, Music Camp 3; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Archery Team 3, 4, Basket Shooting Team 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4, F. H. A. Rally Day 2, 3; Librarians 3, 4, Secretary 4; Science Club 1, Science Fair 1; Driver's Training 2; Homecoming Skit 2, 4; Jr. Play 3; Sr. Play Cast 4; Annual Staff 4.

Class History

Four years ago our class of forty-eight members entered Maroa-Forsyth High School for the first time. We were no longer the mighty eighth graders but the lowly Freshmen. We found our class sponsors to be Mrs. Bernice Kelly and Mrs. Anna Hopkins. For our class officers we chose J. Parker, President; M. McGuire, V.-President; M. Hinkle, Secretary; C. Flint, Treasurer; and J. Crouch, Reporter. We also elected J. Norfleet as Student Council representative and M. Atchison and D. Altic as Pep Club members. To represent us at our first Homecoming Dance we chose M. McGuire, J. Parker, T. Beard, and J. Thrall as king and queen candidates. As enthusiastic Freshmen we worked very hard on our class float which was awarded first place. The theme of our float was "Put Mt. Zion in Dutch." After Homecoming, came the big event of our Freshman year--Freshman Initiation. As our first Christmas Dance approached, we chose C. Flint, M. Hinkle, J. Norfleet, and B. Blick as our candidates. For the Sweetheart Dance, we chose as candidates M. McGuire, C. Spreckelmeyer, B. Blick, and V. Hanks. During the year we gained J. McKee. As an exciting climax to our Freshman year the roof of the gymnasium collapsed while workmen were building onto the school.

We began our Sophomore year with forty-seven members. During the summer we lost C. Grubbs, C. Flint, D. Skelton, and J. Gray and gained D. Brewer and J. Campbell. The sponsors for our Sophomore year were Mrs. Kathleen Harris and Mr. L. A. Turner. To head our class we chose J. Crouch, President; B. Blick, V.-President; M. McGuire, Secretary; J. Norfleet, Treasurer; and W. Wikoff, Reporter. We elected C. Spreckelmeyer and C. Ohlemeyer as Student Council representatives and S. Boyd and P. Pulliam as Pep Club members. As candidates for our second Homecoming we chose M. Bolton, J. Parker, T. Beard, and J. Thrall. Our float placed third with the theme "We've Got 'Em in a Stew." M. McGuire, M. Hinkle, J. Norfleet, and B. Blick were chosen as candidates for the 1960 Christmas Dance. The candidates chosen for our second Sweetheart Dance were D. Moberly, C. Spreckelmeyer, B. Blick, and R. Stephenson.

In the fall of '61 we entered Maroa-Forsyth High as upperclassmen with Mr. Larry Finley and Mrs. Nancy Epple as our sponsors. To lead our class we elected B. Blick, President; M. McGuire, V.-President; J. Gillen, Secretary; J. Crouch, Treasurer; and M. Atchison, Reporter. We also chose J. Norfleet, J. Parker, and

First Place Freshman Float

Freshman Initiation

S. Dotson as Student Council representatives and M. Bolton and G. Schroll as Pep Club members. We were all very happy when our class rings arrived early in September. M. McGuire, M. Bolton, T. Beard, and J. McKee represented our class at the annual Homecoming Dance. This year our float, "Don't Spare 'Em," placed third. As Juniors we worked very hard with our magazine sales and our concession stand at the football and basketball games. We chose as candidates for the Christmas Dance M. Bolton, M. McGuire, B. Blick, and R. Stephenson. We were proud of Mary Ann who was chosen First Attendant and Melanie and Bud who were chosen Second Attendants. In the spring of '62 our class presented "Saved By the Belle," a three-act comedy. Another big event of our Junior year was the Junior-Senior Prom which was held at the Decatur Club. "Under the Magnolias" was the theme of this spring formal. During the year we gained J. Newman and L. Wright and lost S. Edgecombe and V. Hanks.

"Saved By the Belle"
Junior Play

"Lost Flight" - Senior Play

We entered the halls of Maroa-Forsyth High for the last time in the fall of '62. We began our Senior year with forty-three members as we had lost C. Wattles Mason, L. Wright, M. Hunt, and R. Garren during the summer. Again Mr. Finley served as our sponsor. We elected as class officers G. Schroll, President; J. Newman, V.-President; M. Atchison, Secretary; and J. Gillen, Treasurer. B. Blick was chosen as Student Council representative and M. McGuire and J. McKee as Pep Club members. Our class is very proud of Homecoming Queen Melanie McGuire and King Jerry Newman. The other Senior candidates, M. Bolton and J. Norfleet, were chosen as First Attendants. Our float, entitled "Hot Dog! We're the Wieners!" failed to place; but we Seniors won first with our Homecoming skit. In the fall of '62 our class presented the three-act drama "Lost Flight." As Christmas king and queen candidates we chose K. Arnold, M. Bolton, B. Blick, and R. Stephenson. Queen Mary Ann and King Bud reigned over the dance, and Kay and Richard served as First Attendants.

Gym Disaster

Although we are looking forward to graduation this spring, we will be sad to end this phase of our life. We will always be grateful to everyone who helped us through our four years at Maroa-Forsyth High.

Class Will

I, PATRICIA ALEXANDER, bequeath my quiet ways to Betty Booher.

I, DARRELL ALTIC, bequeath my sense of humor to "Big John."

I, GARY AMBERG, bequeath my ability to always find something to say to Tom Newman, who never says anything.

I, PATRICIA ARNOLD, bequeath my freckles to Judy Hall.

I, MARLA ATCHISON, bequeath my "foot and mouth disease" to Gay Stillman.

I, CAROLYN BIRGE, bequeath my ability to take and pass four years of math, to Gay Stillman, who seems to be having a little trouble.

I, FRANCIS BLICKENSDERFER, bequeath my abounding height to Danny Schick, the only kid I can look down to.

I, CHARLES BLISS, bequeath my ability to be sure footed in the shower to David Bailey. Spare that floor, Beetle!

I, MARY ANN BOLTON, bequeath my bottle of Light and Bright to Mary Hensley.

I, SUSAN BOYD, bequeath my one-sleeved gym blouse to anyone in P. E. with one arm.

I, DARLENE BREWER, bequeath my ability to folk dance in Mrs. Berry's gym class to any fellow sufferer.

I, JAMES CAMPBELL, bequeath my ability to pass English for four years to Joe Fleming.

I, JAMES CROUCH, bequeath my ability to study in fifth hour study hall to Betty Booher, who is always busy socializing.

I, JOHN DeCLERK, bequeath my ability to make high grades in American History to Frank Owens, who needs it.

I, SUE DOTSON, bequeath my bashful ways to Meredith Hall.

I, LINDA ERLENBUSCH, bequeath my ability to get locked up in the typing room to anyone who wants to.

I, SHARON FORE, bequeath my puppet pot holder to the Home Ec. room.

I, RITA GARFOOT, bequeath my love of gym class and the teacher to Mary Hensley.

I, JUDY GILLEN, bequeath my height to any short girl who goes with a tall boy.

I, PAUL GROVES, bequeath my photographic ability to my brother, Don.

I, MARCIA HINKLE, bequeath my ability to make up for my small stature with my big mouth to Sally Marsh.

I, BETH LEIMBACH, bequeath my ability to get straight A's in French to anyone who thinks they deserve it.

I, ROBERT MATHEWS, bequeath my ability to get along with Mr. Miller in Driver's Training to my brother.

I, MELANIE McGUIRE, bequeath my ability to say the wrong thing at the wrong time, all the time to Cheryl Hitchens.

I, JAMES McKEE, bequeath my ability to get along with Coach Boyd and Coach Miller without getting my head peeled, to my brother who is going to need it.

I, DONNA MOBERLY, bequeath my pole light that never fails to Vicki Kapper.

I, JEROLD NEWMAN, bequeath my Christmas Dance notes to anyone who can find them.

I, JIM NORFLEET, bequeath my ability to be a two-year quarterback to anyone who waits until his Junior year to go out for football.

I, CHARLES OHLEMEYER, bequeath my ability to be sick during the basketball season to anyone who wants it.

I, JANET PARKER, bequeath my ability to go steady without anyone knowing it to anyone who cares to try.

I, PAUL PULLIAM, bequeath my ability to get through Typing I without buying any typing paper to any other tightwad.

I, GARY SCHROLL, bequeath my ability to drive to my sister, who needs it.

I, LINDA SPRAGUE, bequeath my ability to lower the window blinds in Mr. Fentem's study hall to anyone who thinks they can do it and get away with it.

I, CHERYL SPRECKELMEYER, bequeath my ability to go steady for 2 1/2 years without breaking up to whoever is in need of this ability.

I, RICHARD STEPHENSON, bequeath my ability to type to anyone who enjoys wearing ink.

I, JOHN THRALL, bequeath my ability to get along with Mr. Boyd in P. E. all four years to my brother.

I, WYNETTE WIKOFF, bequeath my office as Treasurer of F. H. A. and the ability to balance the books to next year's Treasurer.

I, SHARRON WILLIAMS, bequeath my position as office errand girl to the next lucky girl that gets it.

I, WALTER WILLIAMS, bequeath my physique to anyone who wants to become a physical giant.

I, JERRY WOOD, bequeath any and all my talents to anyone who can find them.

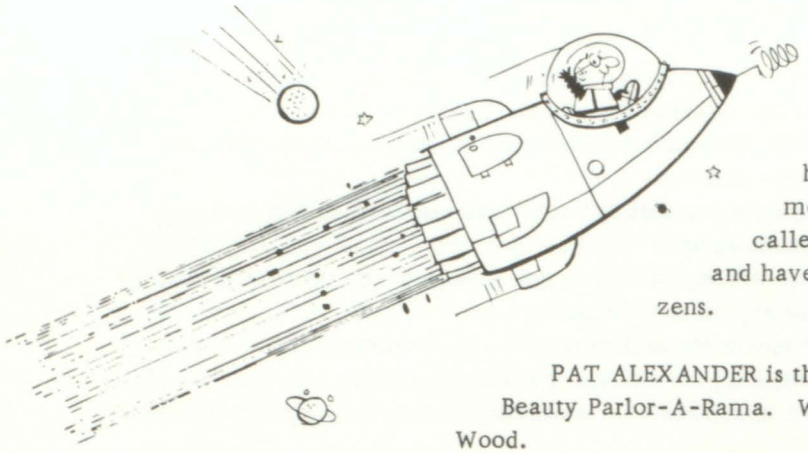
We, the Class of '63, bequeath our unusual dignity, high morals, and unceasing efforts to get the most out of every situation to the Juniors.

We, the Class of '63, bequeath our influence on the world situation and everyone in general to the Sophomores.

We, the Class of '63, bequeath our habit of always cooperating with our sponsor and any teacher to the Freshmen.

To the faculty, we leave the peace and quiet that will result as of our leaving these fabled halls of learning.

Class Prophecy



It's the year 1973, ten years after the graduation of the class of 1963. The members have settled down on the moon in a large metropolis called Maroasyth-O-Sphere and have become the leading citizens.

PAT ALEXANDER is the head beautician at the Beauty Parlor-A-Rama. We heard she scalped Mrs. Wood.

DARRELL ALTIC is President of the Liars Club. He received this position by telling his friends he got good grades in Chemistry.

GARY AMBERG has recently been nominated for President of the School Board. He gives a lot of speeches, but no one has figured out what he is trying to say.

KAY ARNOLD is press secretary for Golden Girl Bolton. She inspects G. G. B. 's dates.

MARLA ATCHISON now runs a matrimonial agency. She specializes in importing men from Mars, Saturn, Venus, and Warrensburg.

CAROLYN BIRGE owns fifty shares in the Moon Stocking Company. She figured it was cheaper to buy a company rather than buy a new pair of stockings each day.

BUD BLICK is teaching agriculture at Maroa High. Poor man, he is taking Chemistry in the same class as his son.

CHARLES BLISS has won many prizes for his farm products. His best products are jumping beans and sugar bowls.

MARY ANN BOLTON is the leading buyer for Miss Clairol Creme Rinse. Stop by and see her, she may give you a free sample.

SUZY BOYD has finally landed her millionaire husband. We hear she has a gold Lincoln Continental but she likes her bike best.

DARLENE BREWER is the owner of a chain of "Pup'n Soap Drive Inns." She has a nightly floor show featuring "Darlene's Darlings."

JIM CAMPBELL, so we hear is a soup tester. But we really think the product is cigarettes.

JIM CROUCH is a Chemistry professor. He tried to teach Chemistry in high school, but a man named Fentem always interfered.

JACK DECLERK is President of DeClerk's Divorce Development Center. He just counseled his thirty-first wife.

SUE DOTSON is now a famous actress, famous for putting her husband through grade school. Keep up the good work, Sue.

LINDA ERLENBUSCH is now Mrs. Sonny Schroll. She practices hollaring everyday to keep Sonny in line.

RITA GARFOOT is the famous leader of "Rita's Royalties," a jazz combo. We hear the Juniors booked her for their prom.

JUDY GILLEN, better known now as Mrs. Gary Schroll, has finally had to retire from nursing to take care of her ten children.

PAUL GROVES is the best square dancer in this part of the moon. He got his practice in Mrs. Berry's gym classes.

MARCIA HINKLE is now head of Hinkle Charm School. She always did have a nice personality.

ANN LEIMBACH writes a gossip column. She got a good deal of practice at Maroa High.

BOB MATHEWS is Walter Williams' body guard. Those two stuck together even when the old gang broke up.

MELANIE McGUIRE is an attorney for McGuire, McGuire, and McGuire, Jr. Law Firm.

JIM McKEE is trying to surprise us but we really know he is Santa Claus.

DONNA MOBERLY is now the wife of a prominent mortician. We knew those undertakers' sons would overtake her some day.

JERRY NEWMAN is the new head coach at Maroa High. We hear he is pretty good, but he just can't learn to yell at the boys.

JIM NORFLEET's main job is to protect Tonda. In his spare time he works at the service station.

CHARLES OHLEMEYER is the author of "Facts About Sports." This book is really selling. Some of it is quoted daily in Mrs. Wood's English classes.

JANET PARKER is busy stuffing pillows with all her little feathers. Now isn't that a corny way of saying she is Mrs. Melvin Feathers and has five children.

PAUL PULLIAM is president of the local branch of the A. A. For the ones that can't "shake-it" he sends them to the Sundown Lounge.

GARY SCHROLL has just been chosen Mr. Solar System of 1973. He couldn't miss with Judy and all those kids voting for him.

LINDA SPRAGUE is now married and raising a fine family. We hear Harold had to add two rooms to their home.

CHERYL SPRECKELMEYER, Tom and Cherry have a fine family of Chemists. Tom gave her a fully equipped laboratory for Christmas.

RICHARD STEPHENSON is a supersonic typist. He now types 5,000 words per second. Keep up the good work, Richard!!!

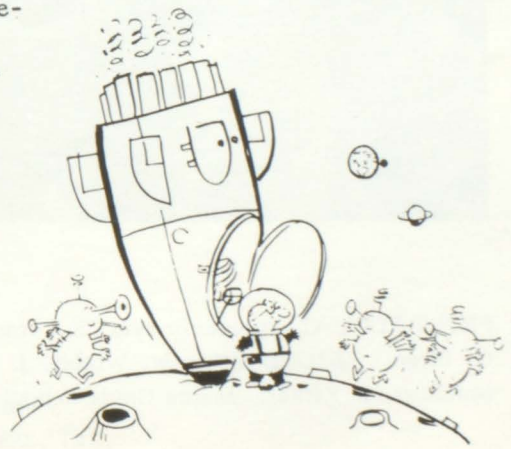
JACK THRALL has just made his first movie called "The Hustler." He had to put on 300 pounds for the part.

WYNETTE WIKOFF runs a combination grocery store and Turkish Bath. She sells a lot of soap.

SHARRON WILLIAMS runs her own private airline between Clinton and Maroasyth-O-Sphere.

WALT WILLIAMS better known as "Blackie the Unsociable" hasn't said a word for twelve years.

JERRY WOOD has just completed the world's longest speech on Miss VanScyoc's good points. He talked for 99,999,999 seconds.



Thru the Years

AM. Country School

M. Atchison, P. Groves, L. Sprague, Am. Country School - 1 yr., Maroa Grade - 7 yrs. and Maroa High - 4 yrs.

Forsyth

J. Gillen, S. Dotson, M. Hinkle, R. Stephenson, B. Blick. Forsyth Grade - 8 yrs. and Maroa High - 4 yrs.

Maroa

FRONT ROW: C. Spreckelmeyer, K. Arnold, D. Moberly, S. Boyd, M. Bolton, M. McGuire, C. Birge. SECOND ROW: W. Wikoff, J. Crouch, C. Ohlemeyer, P. Pulliam, C. Bliss, B. Mathews, J. Parker. Maroa Grade School - 8 years and Maroa-Forsyth High School - 4 years.

Class of 1962

BARBARA AUSTIN - University of Illinois
STOY BLISS - Working in Decatur
RICHARD BRELSFOARD - Farming
HAROLD BUGGAR - Weikle Construction Co.
OPAL CLARK - At home
DEAN COLE - Working in Decatur
CATHERINE CRABTREE - I. S. N. U.
RAYMOND DAVENPORT - Millikin University
LINDA DEAN - Industrial Towel Service
EMELIA DeCICCO - Mrs. Don Rodgers
LARRY EUBANK - Fairview Plaza-Decatur
GEORGE FLEMING - MacDonalds-Decatur
CAROL ANN FOULKE - Eastern Illinois University
JAMES FREEMAN -Joliet Trade School
JERRY GILL - Eastern Illinois University
CAROL HARTLEROAD - Working in Decatur
VERL HAWBAKER - Joliet Trade School
JANICE HICKS - Mrs. Joe Blazer
LARRY HINKLE -Eastern Illinois University
BRADLEY LIENHART -Northwestern University
LLOYD LITTLE - Farming at home
TOM LUALLEN - Millikin University
EDWIN MILLER -General Electric-Decatur
ELSTON MITCHELL - Eastern Illinois University
RUTH MOORE - At home
JERRY ODLE - Working in Decatur
DON PASLEY -Eastern Illinois University
SANDRA PENSE -Hallford Beauty School
CAROL POPE -At home
MARY BETH PRESTON -Bob Jones College
BETTY RUNYEN -Community Center-Maroa
ROGER SCHULTZ - University of Illinois
SALLY SHAMBAUGH - Federal Mutual-Decatur
ROBERT STALKER - Farming
NANCY STONE -Mrs. Bob Johnson
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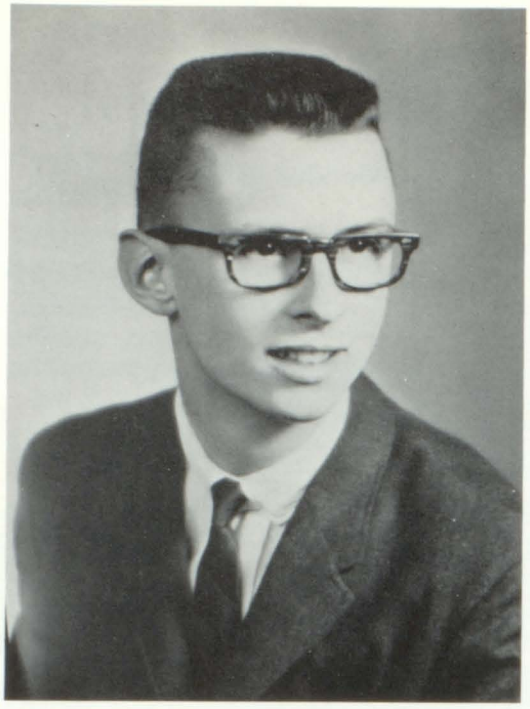

JAMES R. CROUCH
Valedictorian
Bausch-Lomb Science Award

Due to an extreme closeness in grade averages as the '63 Trojanaire goes to press, we are unable to determine whether MARCIA HINKLE or CAROLYN BIRGE is class Salutatorian.

Class Honors

SUSAN BOYD
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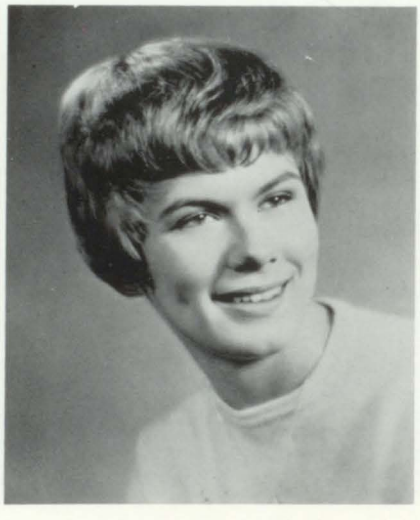
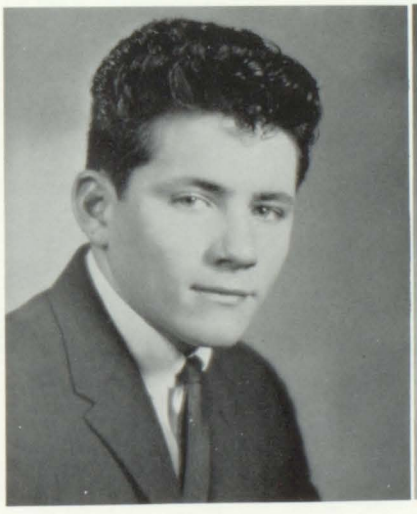


CHERYL SPRECKELMEYER
Betty Crocker Award

National Honor Society

Marcia Hinkle, Suzy Boyd, Carolyn Birge
Jim Crouch, Jim McKee, Bud Blickensderfer



FRANCIS BLICKENSDERFER
DeKalb Agriculture Award

SUE DOTSON
Sousa Band Award

Senior Activities

"Lost Flight"

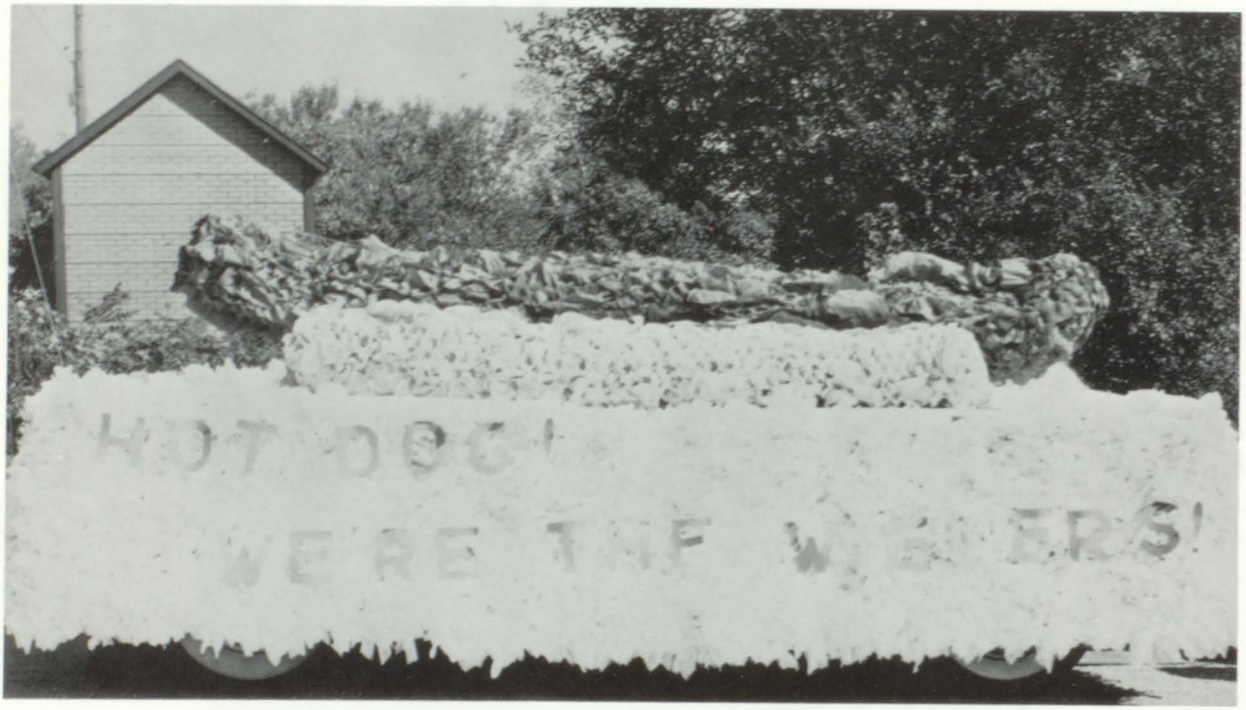
The Seniors started in September what was to be a very outstanding year. During Homecoming we won the skit contest. Our float "We're the Wieners" didn't win; but we had a lot of fun working on it.

In November we presented our play "Lost Flight." It was the first drama presented at Maroa and was a big success.

We happily ordered our caps and gowns with the realization that it would all be over very soon.

We all enjoyed the prom and especially our class trip to the Ozarks.

Senior Float



"Hot Dog! We're the Wieners!"

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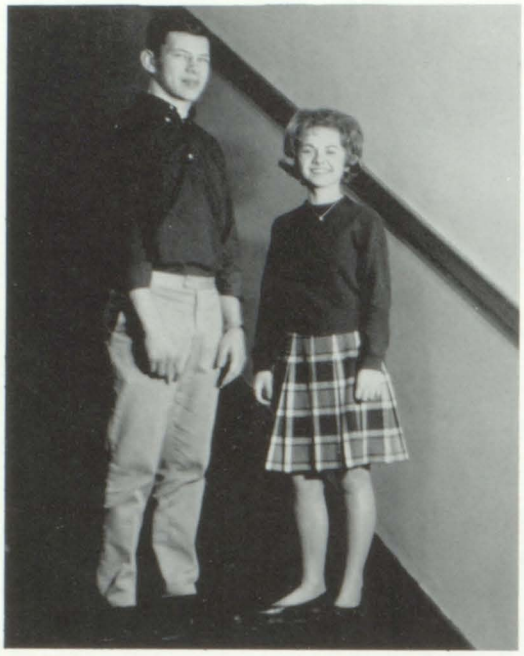
FAVORITES

NICEST PERSONALITY

Marcia Hinkle
Jerry Newman



BEST LOOKING

Mary Ann Bolton
Bud Blickensderfer

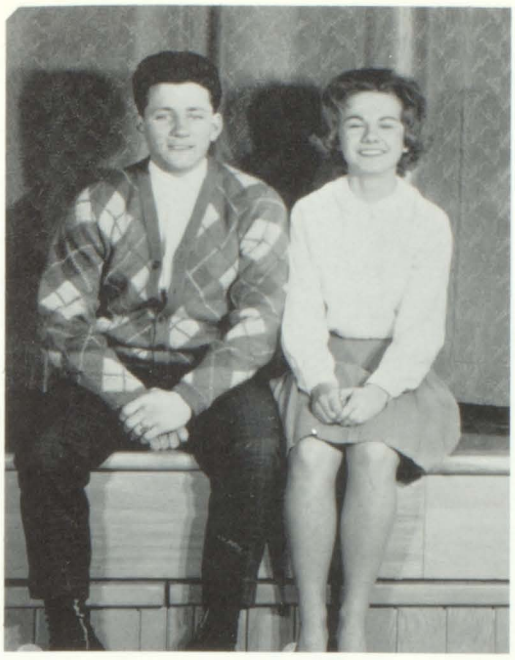
Senior

MOST ATHLETIC

Suzy Boyd
Bud Blickensderfer

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Cherry Spreckelmeyer
Jim Crouch



MOST POPULAR

Marcia Hinkle
Bud Blickensderfer

Favorites

CAMPUS CUT-UPS

Suzy Boyd
Darrell Altic

BEST DRESSED

Donna Moberly
Jim Crouch

CLASS FLIRTS

Sue Dotson
Jack DeClerk

Who's Who at M.F.H.S.

MOST TALKATIVE

Sherry Karns and Richard Stephenson

FUNNIEST JOKE TELLER

Bonnie Blazer and Darrell Altic

PRETTIEST EYES

Rachel Morgan and Bud Blick

MARRY FIRST

Janet Parker and Gary Schroll

SHYEST

Pat Alexander and Jerry Newman

BEST FIGURE and BEST BUILD

Mary Ann Bolton and Bud Blick

MOST STUDIOUS

Carolyn Birge and Jim Crouch

BEST DANCER

Linda Murphy and Terry Beard

PRETTIEST HAIR

Mary Ann Bolton and Bud Blick

MOST POPULAR COUPLE

Rachel Morgan and Bud Blick

NICEST SMILE

Marcia Hinkle and Jerry Newman

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Maroa, Illinois

JUNIORS

Remember How Hard We Worked as Juniors

Officers

PRESIDENT: Steve Kinkaid

VICE-PRESIDENT: A. Alexander

SECRETARY: M. Heinz

SGT.-AT-ARMS: R. Margenthaler

TREASURER: L. Halicki

Juniors

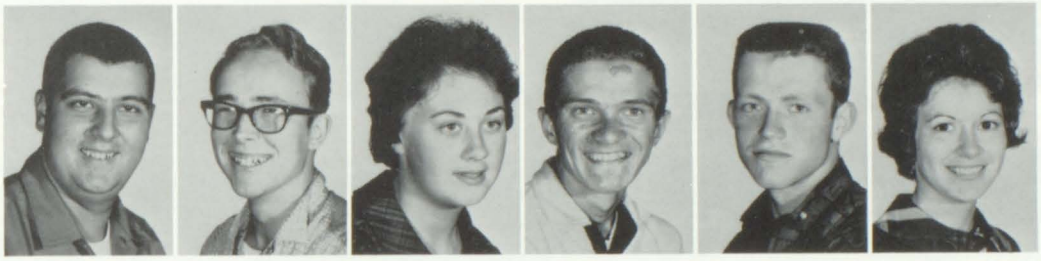
A. Alexander, M. Alexander, M. Anderson, G. Beck, J. Chalcraft, M. Cummings

N. Doolen, D. Garren, C. Greene, L. Grissom, L. Halicki

for Our Successful Junior-Senior Prom.

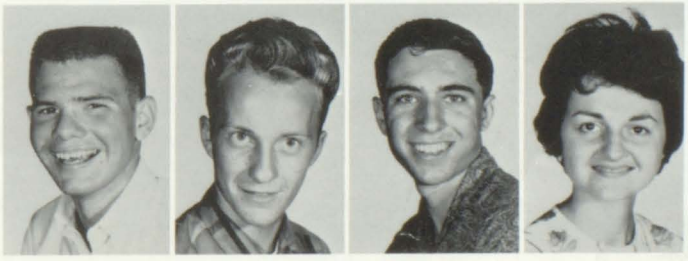
D. Hanes, M. Heinz, M. Hensley, C. Hitchens, S. Hubbell, V. Kapper

S. Kinkaid, M. Liming, S. Matheny, P. Margenthaler, D Miller, S. Marsh



J. Mathews, R. Maxwell, D. McCool, R. Margenthaler, R. Mitchell, R. Morgan
NOT SHOWN: G. Clawson, M. Smith

C. Morgret, L. Murphy, T. Newman, S. Rasor, S. Roberts, M. Snow



G. Vermilyea, B. Votaw, R. West, L. Wikoff

Junior Activities

Top Magazine Salesmen

The first big event of the year was Homecoming and the Junior float "Hold That Line" received second place in the parade. In October we had our magazine sales which were very successful. The top four salesmen were Donna Miller, Linda Murphy, Lela Grissom, and Nancy Doolen.

During the football and basketball seasons and lunch hour our Junior stand was always open.

In March we presented our play, "Bull in a China Shop", which was very funny and enjoyable.

On April 26, we sponsored the Junior-Senior Prom at the Decatur Club. The theme was "Magic Moments" and will long be remembered by those who attended.

Junior Float

"Hold That Line" - Second Place

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Decatur - Springfield

SOPHOMORES

As Sophomores We Learned to Drive

Officers

PRESIDENT: Letha Grissom

SECRETARY: Donna Etnier

VICE-PRESIDENT: Steve Johnson

TREASURER: Stephanie Terrell

Sophomores

M. Bennett, J. Berry, G. Bingamon, B. Blazer, N. Blazer, B. Booher, S. Braden

G. Brelsfoard, W. Brown, J. Cahill, B. Caplinger, L. Carder, P. Carrier

Carefully and to Settle Down and Study.

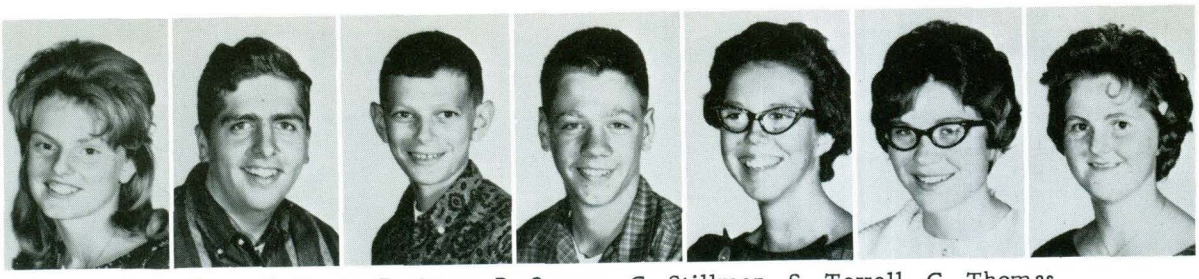
L. Clark, J. Cook, B. Crouch, D. Cunningham, B. Dean, D. Dial, D. Etnier

S. Eubank, J. Garren, K. Glasco, T. Greeson, L. Grissom, S. Halicki, C. Harrington

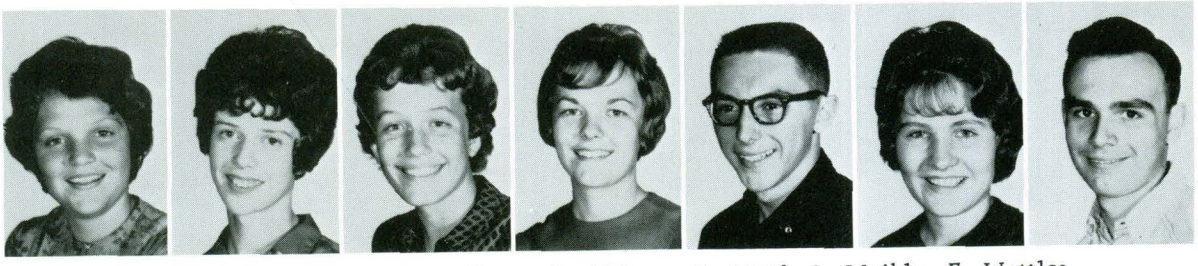
B. Hinkle, S. Johnson, S. Karns, P. Katchmar, T. Leach, J. Lorenz, N. Luallen

L. Malone, D. Mathews, J. Mathews, S. Morgret, D. Osgood, K. Paceley, S. Pope

T. Rasor, S. Ray, B. Reed, L. Robertson, L. Rush, C. Schroll



S. Shaw, J. Stone, R. Snow, R. Stacey, G. Stillman, S. Terrell, G. Thomas



M. Tooley, L. Tozer, S. Wallace, C. Walters, S. Ward, S. Weikle, E. Wattles

R. Williams, R. Williams, J. Woodard, D. Yundt

Sophomore Float

"No Room For De-Feet" - Third Place

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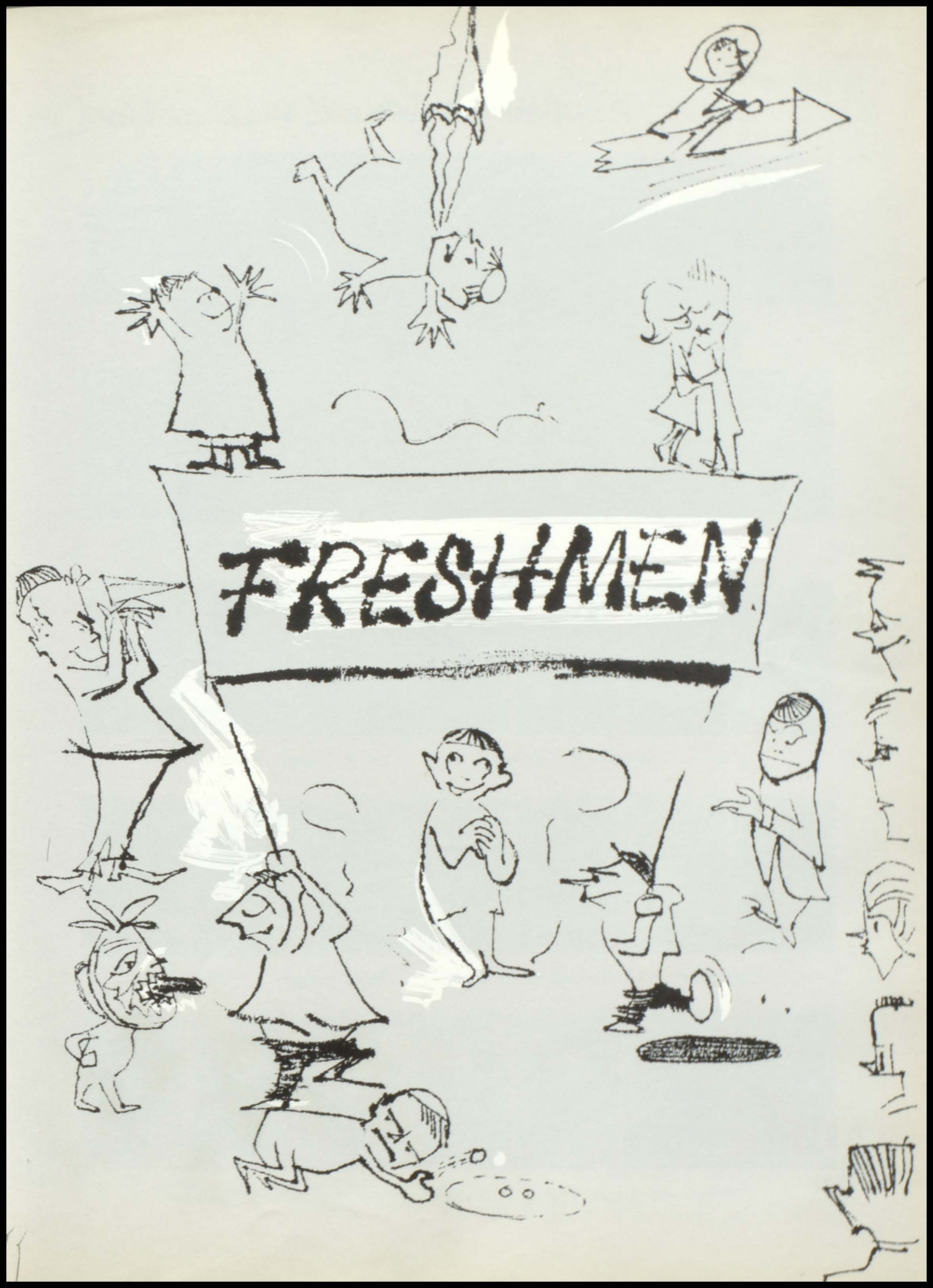

FRESHMEN

Remember Our Winning Freshman Float

PRESIDENT: Larry Murphy

VICE-PRESIDENT: Jerry Davenport SECRETARY: Jane Morrisey

TREASURER: Darrell Woolums REPORTER: Johnette DeCicco

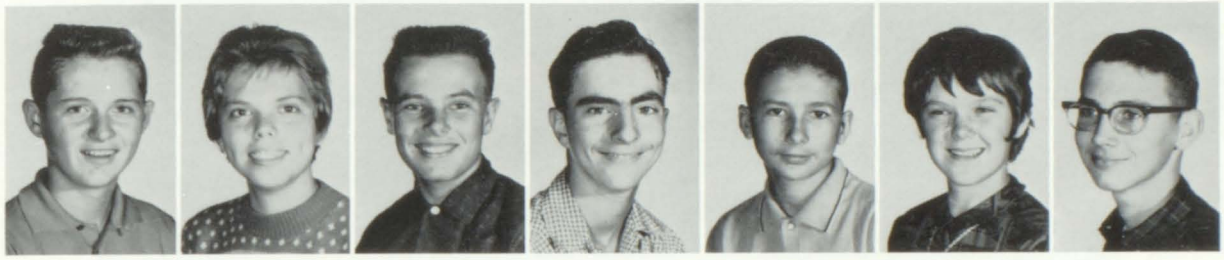
D. Archer, J. Atz, D. Bailey, C. Barnett, P. Beard, R. Bingamon, J. Boomer

J. Buggar, M. Buggar, E. Bush, J. Davenport, J. Day, J. DeCicco, J. DeCicco

and All the Fun We Had at Initiation.

R. Ellis, J. Fleming, G. Flowers, L. Gardner, R. Garren, L. Grimes, V. Grissom

D. Groves, K. Groves, S. Groves, J. Hall, M. Hall, D. Hazen, C. Hitchens



R. Howell, S. Hupp, S. Irvin, T. Keyes, D. Kinkaid, M. Klepper, R. Klepzig

B. Leach, R. Leslie, D. Lienhart, J. Lienhart, D. Marsh, E. Mathews, B. McGuire

N. Meador, L. Meece, D. Miller, B. Moore, J. Morrisey, J. Mosley, L. Murphy

C. Ohlemeyer, F. Owens, B. Patient, F. Plummer, L. Porter, P. Robinson, R. Runyen

B. Sanders, D. Schick, S. Shaw, H. Simpson, B. Smith, C. Stone, S. Thrall

P. Townsend, B. Traxler, J. Weikle, P. Wikoff, M. Windlan, D. Woolums
NOT SHOWN: S. Whitaker

Freshman Float

"Sink the Pirates" - First Place

ATHLETICS

Varsity Football

FRONT ROW: R. Margenthaler, J. Thrall, J. Norfleet, G. Amberg, J. McKee, J. Newman, B. Blick, M. Snow. SECOND ROW: Assistant Coach Miller, L. Murphy, J. Buggar, S. Ward, S. Braden, M. Heinz, D. Garren, R. Mitchell, L. Carder, S. Kinkaid, Coach Boyd. THIRD ROW: R. Leslie, S. Shaw, D. Lienhart, G. Clawson, B. Caplinger, D. Marsh, B. Dean, S. Morgret, R. Williams, D. Woolums. NOT SHOWN: J. Fleming, Mgr.; T. Keyes, Statistician.

Assistant Coach Miller; Jerry Newman, Jim McKee, Co-Captains; Coach Boyd.

JERRY NEWMAN

1,2,3,4

Halfback

BUD BLICKENSDERFER

3,4

Halfback

JIM McKEE

3,4

Tackle

JACK THRALL

1,4

Fullback

GARY AMBERG

1,2,3,4

Fullback

JIM NORFLEET

3,4

Quarterback

MAX HEINZ

1,2,3

End

ROGER MITCHELL

1,2,3

End

GARY CLAWSON

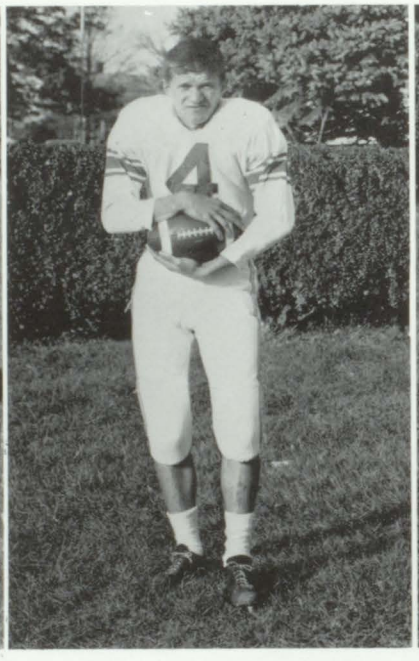
2,3

Tackle

STEVE KINCAID

1,2,3

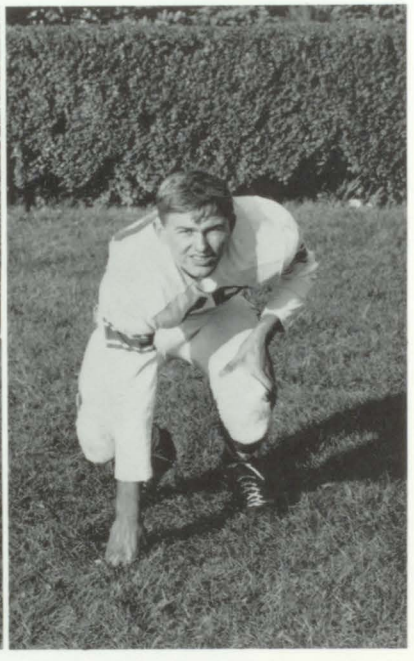
Halfback



RON MARGENTHALER

1,2,3

Halfback



DAN GARREN

1,3

Guard

STEVE WARD

1,2

Guard

LARRY CARDER

1,2

Center

BOB DEAN

1,2

End

MIKE SNOW

2,3

Quarterback

STEVE MORGRET

1,2

Center

BOB CAPLINGER

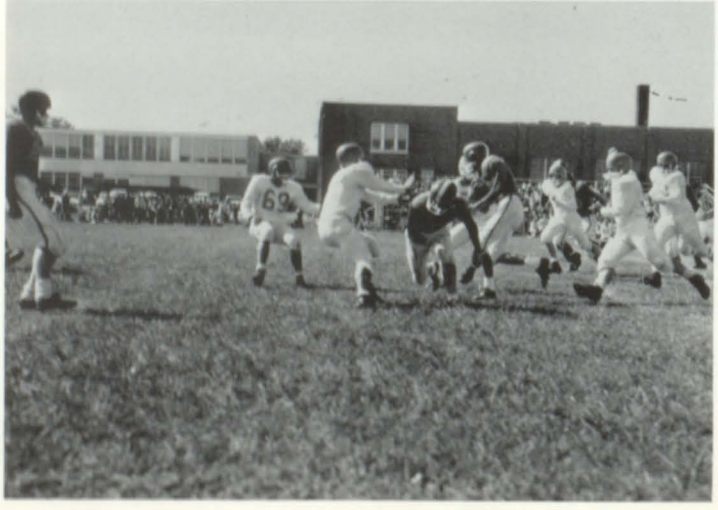
1,2

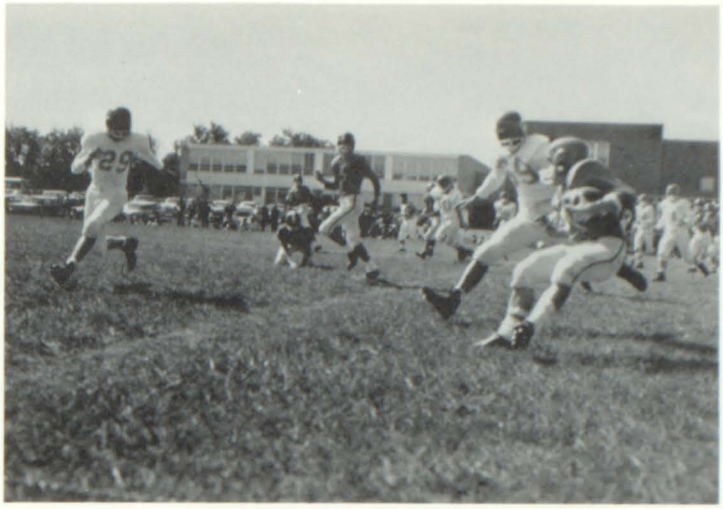
Tackle

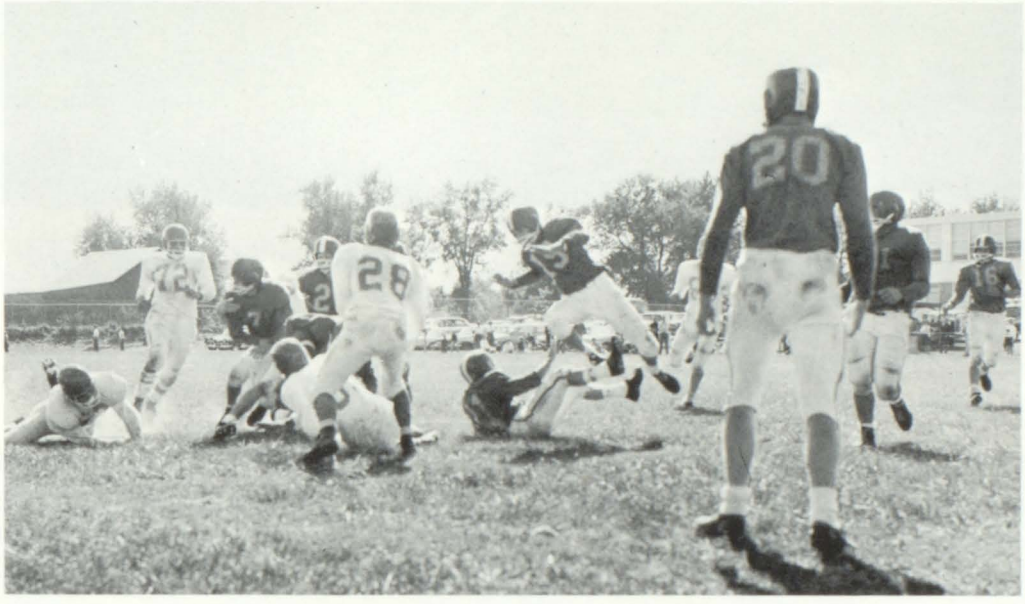
Varsity Record

WON - 2 LOST - 6 TIED - 1

Maroa	6	Cerro Gordo	18
Maroa	6	Mt. Zion	32
Maroa	7	Niantic-Harristown	0
Maroa	26 (Homecoming)	Illiopolis	7
Maroa	0	Assumption	20
Maroa	12	Moweaqua	19
Maroa	0	Lovington	20
Maroa	6	Bethany	6
Maroa	0	Warrensburg-Latham	18







Varsity Statistics

Name	Rushing Yds.	Passing Yds.	Yds. Passed	Punts and Kick Returns	Total Yds. Gained
Newman	493	28	0	124	645
Blick	392	151	0	82	625
Norfleet	52	0	413	106	571
Mitchell	57	215	0	73	345
Margenthaler	0	0	0	59	59
Thrall	18	19	0	0	37
Amberg	12	0	0	15	15
Murphy	-3	0	0	13	10

Jr. Varsity Football

FRONT ROW: L. Murphy, D. Lienhart, J. Buggar, S. Braden, D. Woolums, B. Dean, D. Marsh, S. Morgret, S. Thrall, R. Leslie. SECOND ROW: J. Mosley, J. Wiekle, J. Davenport, R. Williams, B. Crouch, J. Lienhart, G. Flowers, M. Windlan, W. Brown. THIRD ROW: D. Kinkaid, M. Bennett, B. McGuire, K. Paceley, S. Whitaker, M. Buggar, B. Snow, S. Irvin. NOT SHOWN: Coach Miller.

JR. VARSITY RECORD

WON - 3 LOST - 1 TIED - 1

Maroa	6	Mt. Zion	0
Maroa	6	Moweaqua	6
Maroa	12	Assumption	13
Maroa	13	Bethany	12
Maroa	26	Lovington	0

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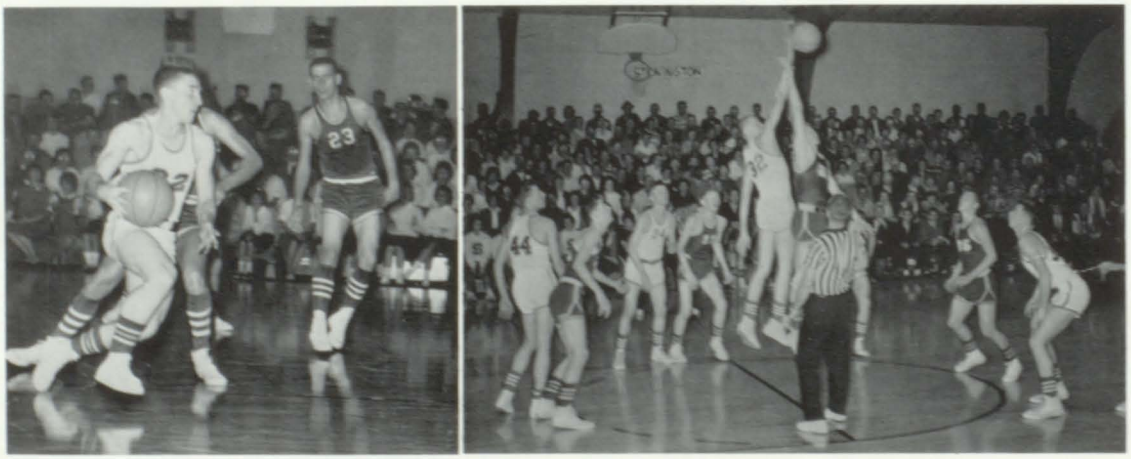
VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: Rachel Morgan, Marla Atchison, Donna Moberly, Marcia Hinkle, Sally Marsh.

Trojan Cheerleaders

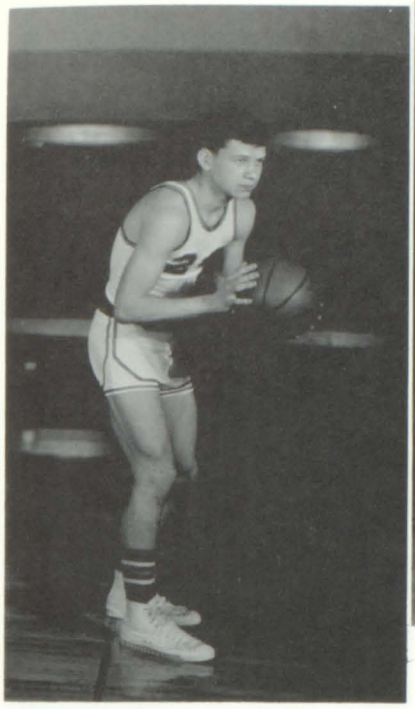
JR. VARSITY CHEERLEADERS: Donna Dial, Kathy Glasco, Lynda Tozer, Nancy Meador, Barbara Traxler.

Varsity Basketball

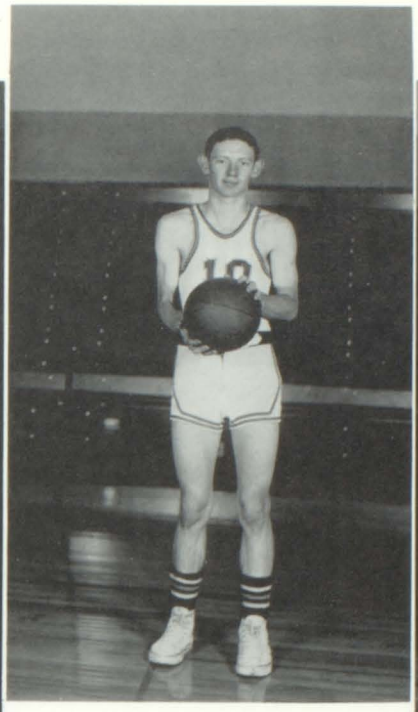
LEFT TO RIGHT: Steve Kinkaid, Mike Snow, Tom Newman, Max Heinz, Gary Schroll, Jim Norfleet, Paul Pulliam, Charles Ohlemeyer, Roger Mitchell, Jerry Newman, Jim McKee, Ron Margenthaler, Bud Blickensderfer. CENTER: Coach Miller.



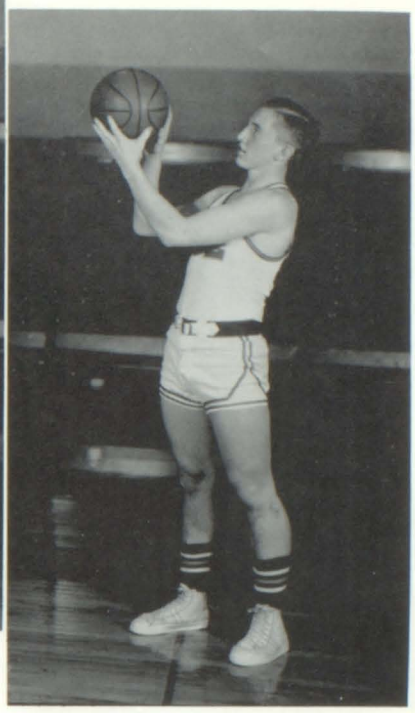
Varsity in Action



JERRY NEWMAN, Guard
1, 2, 3, 4



CHARLES OHLEMEYER
Forward
1, 2, 3, 4



JIM McKEE, Forward
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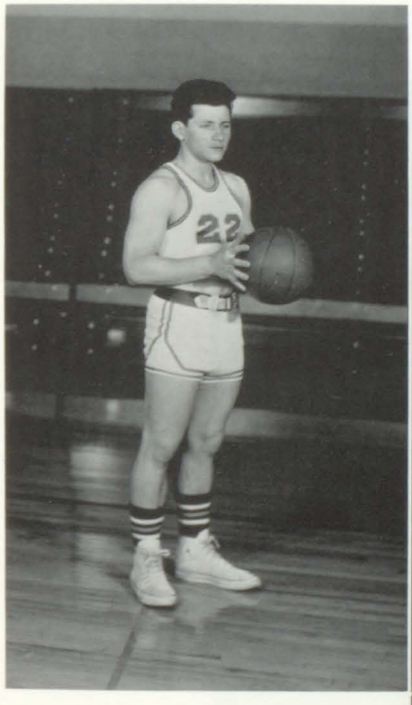
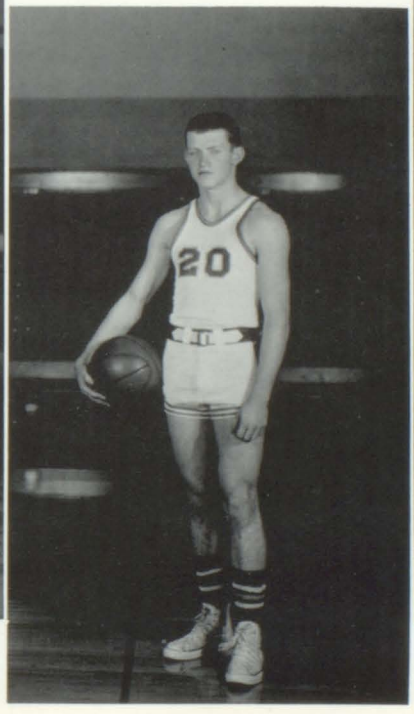
BUD BLICK, Guard
1, 2, 3, 4



ROGER MITCHELL
Forward
1, 2, 3, 4



JIM NORFLEET, Center
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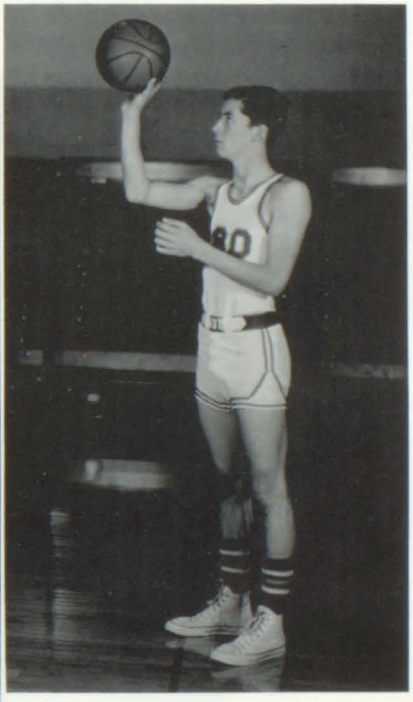

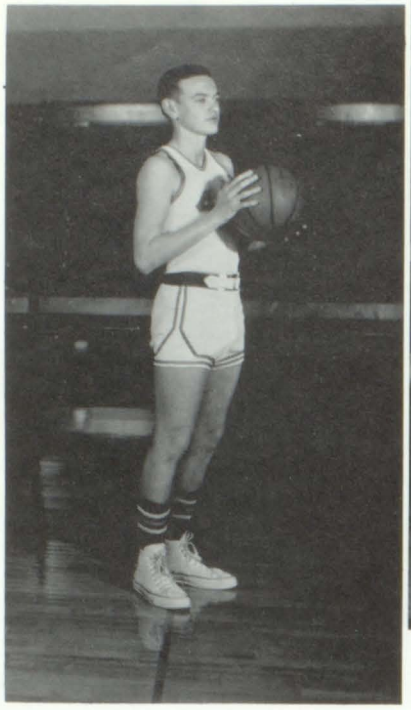

MIKE SNOW, Guard
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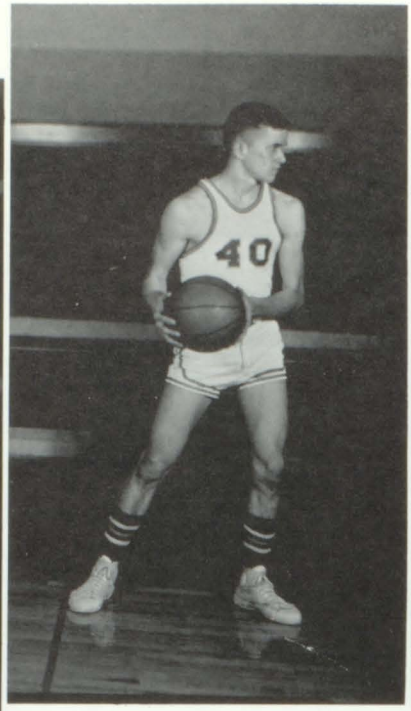
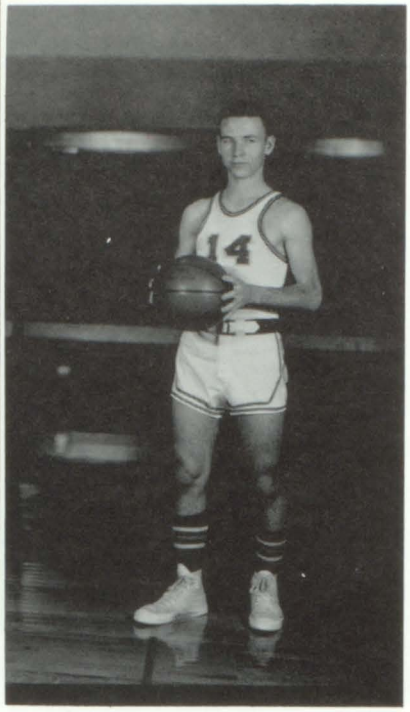


RON MARGENTHALER
Center
1, 2, 3



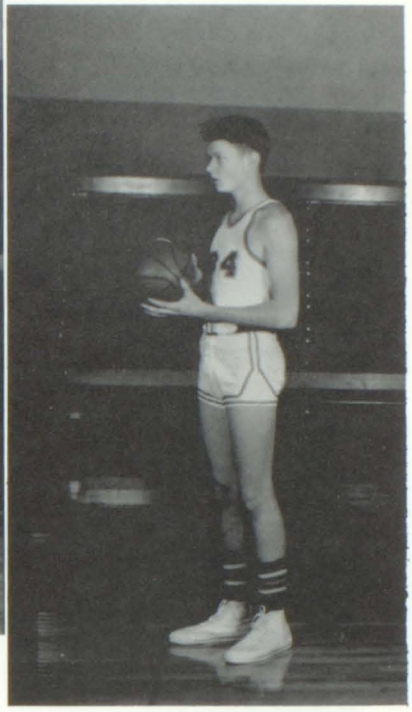
STEVE KINKAID, Guard
1, 2, 3

TOM NEWMAN, Forward
1, 2, 3

MANAGERS: Gary Amberg,
Richard West

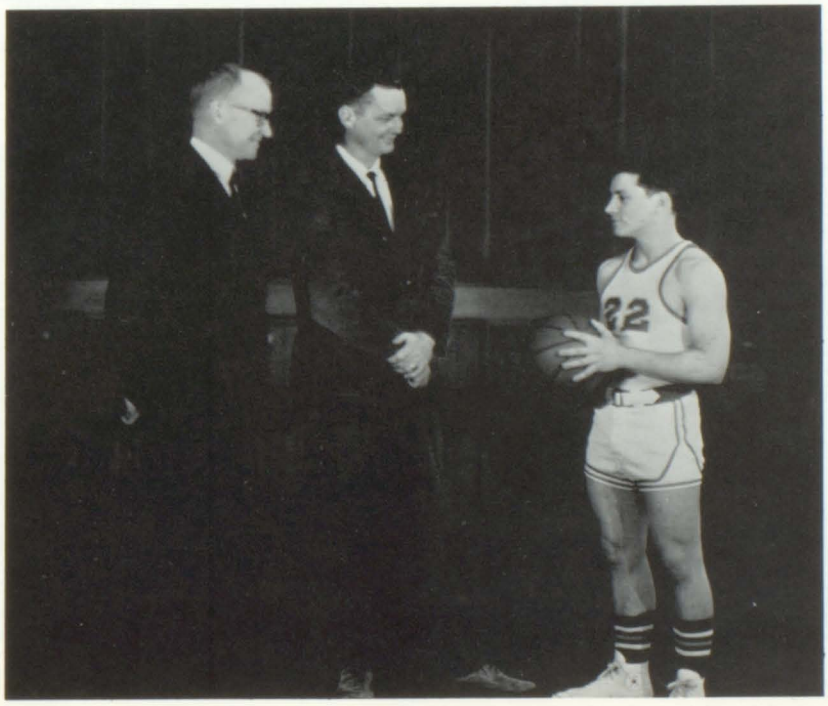
PAUL PULLIAM, Forward
4

GARY SCHROLL
Forward
4



MAX HEINZ, Forward
1, 2, 3

Assistant Coach Boyd, Coach Miller,
Captain Bud Blick



Varsity Record

WON - 11 LOST - 11

Maroa	47	Moweaqua	38
Maroa	59	Argenta-Oreana	43
Maroa	57	Mt. Zion	62
Maroa	67	Lovington	46
Maroa	42	Warrensburg-Latham	65
Maroa	71	Deland-Weldon	61
Maroa	62	Macon	72
Maroa	58	Assumption	68
Maroa	54	Bethany	61
Maroa	62	Illiopolis	58
Maroa	37	Warrensburg-Latham	48
Maroa	57	Findlay	54
Maroa	81	Tower Hill	53
Maroa	55	Blue Mound	50
Maroa	71	Niantic-Harristown	53
Maroa	53	Stonington	72
Maroa	59	Mt. Zion	62
Maroa	51	Argenta-Oreana	56

MACON COUNTY TOURNAMENT

Maroa	23	Warrensburg-Latham	31

MERIDIAN CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT

Maroa	71	Lovington	56
Maroa	44	Blue Mound	43
Maroa	50 (Second Place)	Stonington	63

Varsity Statistics

Name	Games Played	Field Goals	Free Throws	Total Points	Ave. per Game
C. Ohlemeyer	22	153	56	362	16.45
J. Norfleet	21	77	54	208	9.90
R. Mitchell	20	60	38	158	7.90
J. Newman	22	60	31	151	6.86
B. Blick	19	57	23	137	7.21
J. McKee	22	36	43	115	5.23
M. Heinz	20	21	18	60	3.00
M. Snow	12	7	1	15	1.25
R. Margenthaler	8	5	4	14	1.75
T. Newman	7	3	0	6	.86
S. Kinkaid	7	2	1	5	.71

SALLY

MARCIA

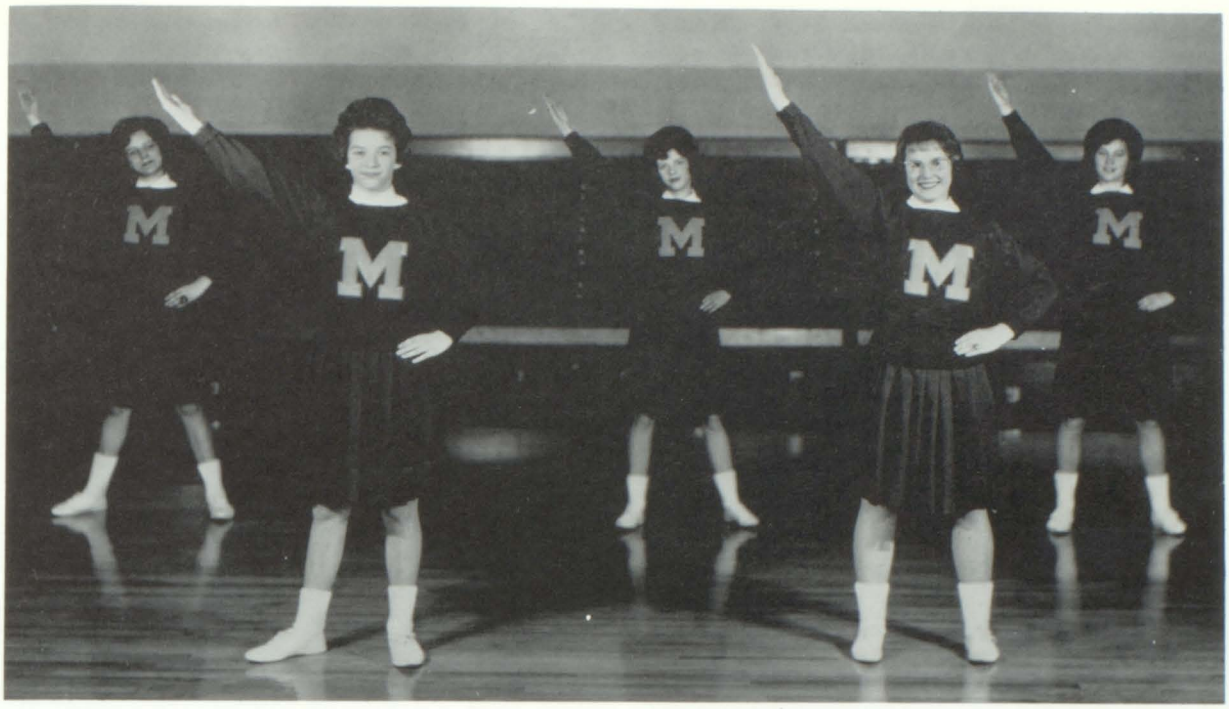
MARLA

DONNA

RACHEL

Varsity Cheerleaders

LEFT TO RIGHT: Marcia Hinkle, Donna Moberly, Marla Atchison, Rachel Morgan, Sally Marsh.



Junior Varsity Cheerleaders

LEFT TO RIGHT: Kathy Glasco, Nancy Meador, Lynda Tozer, Barbara Traxler, Donna Dial.

FRONT ROW: Rachel Morgan, Marla Atchison, Marcia Hinkle, Donna Moberly, Sally Marsh.
SECOND ROW: Nancy Meador, Kathy Glasco, Lynda Tozer, Donna Dial, Barbara Traxler.

Jr. Varsity Basketball

FRONT ROW: Coach Boyd, R. Leslie, J. Davenport, B. Dean, S. Shaw, J. Lorenz, D. Marsh, L. Murphy, R. Runyen. SECOND ROW: D. Kinkaid, B. Bingamon, F. Owens, D. Woolums, T. Keyes, J. Lienhart, G. Bingamon, B. Snow, S. Irvin.

WON - 6 LOST - 12

Maroa	35	Moweaqua	67
Maroa	41	Argenta-Oreana	43
Maroa	27	Mt. Zion	63
Maroa	29	Lovington	46
Maroa	24	Warrensburg-Latham	53
Maroa	66	Deland-Weldon	41
Maroa	33	Macon	72
Maroa	52	Assumption	32
Maroa	29	Bethany	55
Maroa	55	Illiopolis	37
Maroa	34	Warrensburg-Latham	33
Maroa	32	Findlay	48
Maroa	49	Tower Hill	39
Maroa	41	Blue Mound	65
Maroa	44	Niantic-Harristown	63
Maroa	43	Stonington	47
Maroa	50	Mt. Zion	47
Maroa	59	Argenta-Oreana	60

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ORGANIZATIONS

Student Council

FRONT ROW: B. Blick, Vice-President; J. Crouch, President; Mr. Lovell, Advisor; C. Morgret, Secretary; M. Cummings, Treasurer. SECOND ROW: D. Moberly, R. Mitchell, G. Clawson, R. Margenthaler, B. Hinkle, N. Meador.

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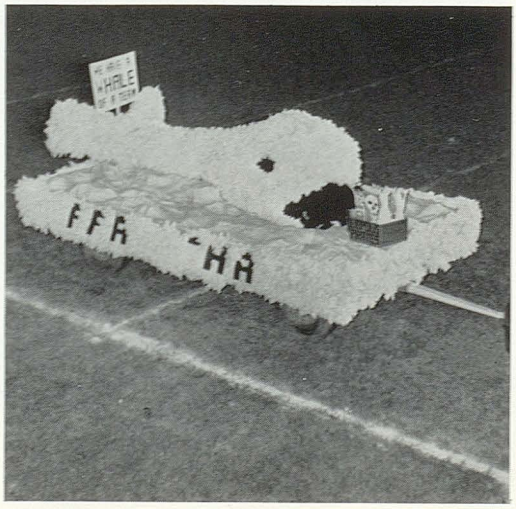

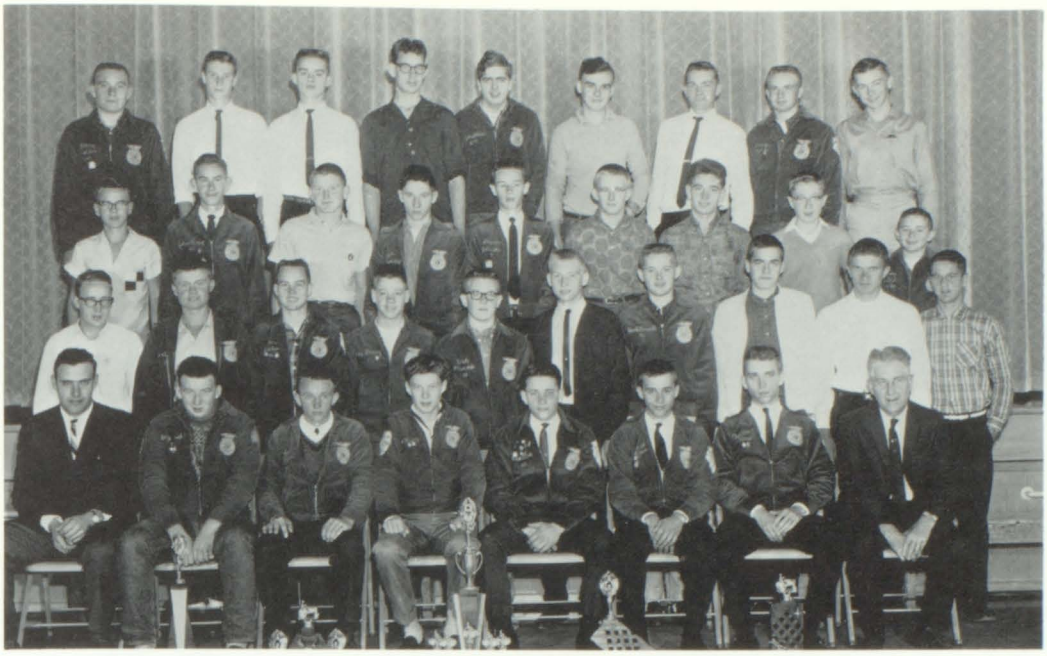

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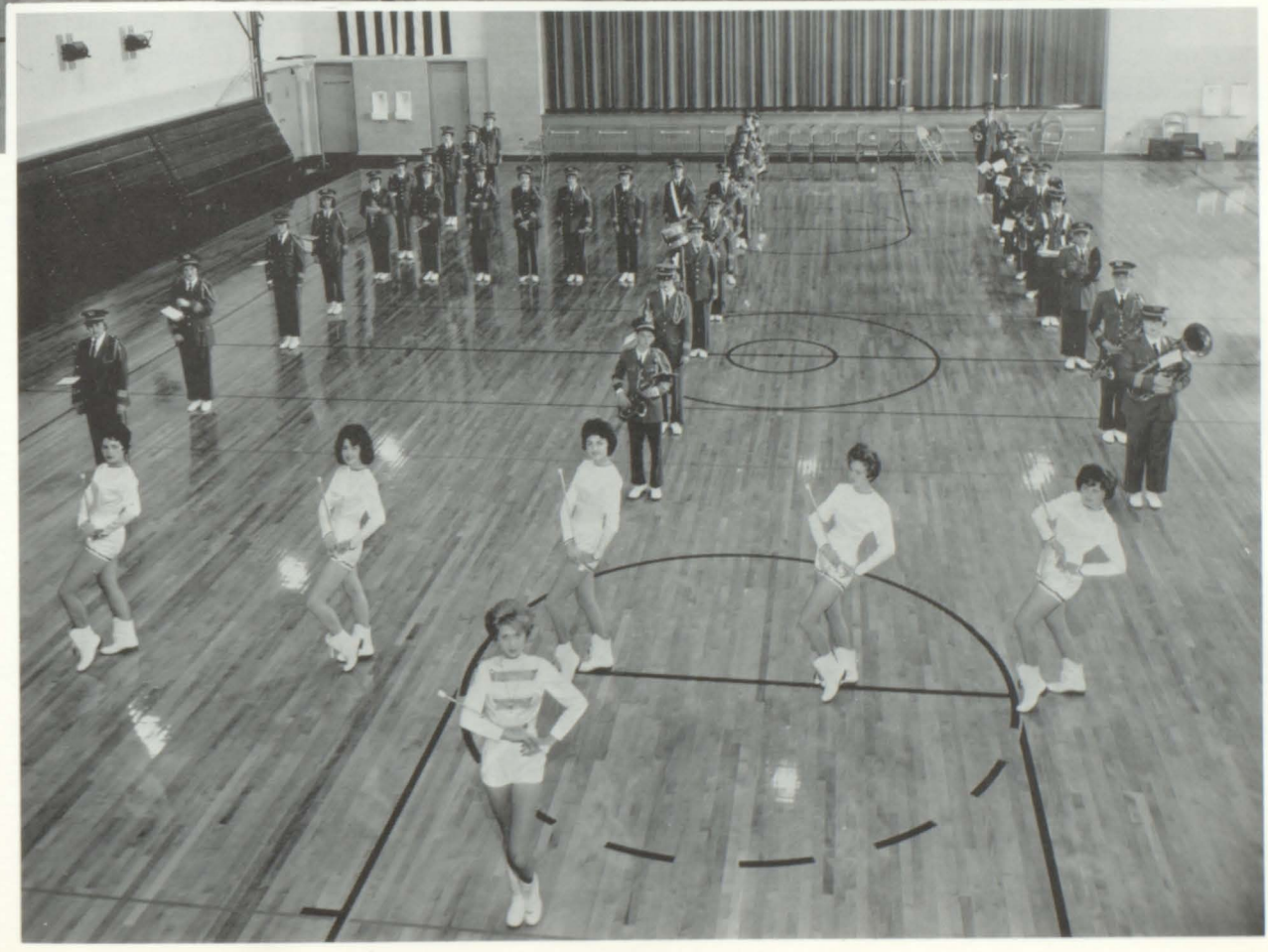

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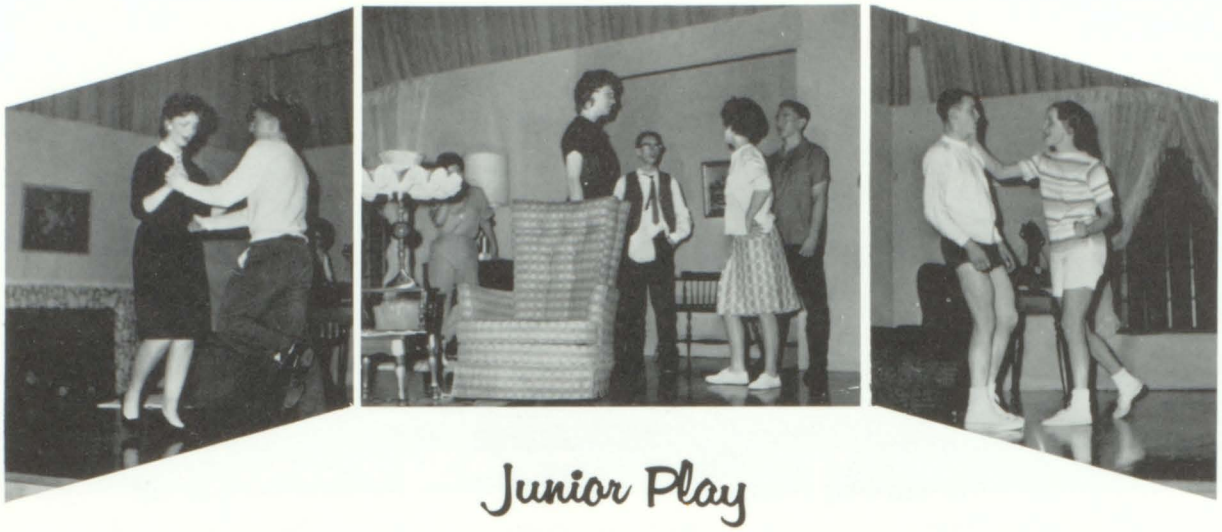

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Pudge Roberts - Donna Moberly
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Doris Carson - Marla Atchison
Ginnie Ellis - Susan Boyd
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Warren Sands - Jim Crouch
Slugger O'Day - Jim McKee
Jackie Clark - Jack DeClerk
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Bert Hollis - Bud Blick
Mrs. Lester - Suzy Boyd
Penny Lester - Sharron Williams
Karen Wilson - Judy Gillen
Mr. Cross - Jim McKee
Laura Troy - Carolyn Birge
Jim Mathews - Gary Schroll
Joyce Mathews - Mary Ann Bolton
Bob Harlow - Darrell Altic
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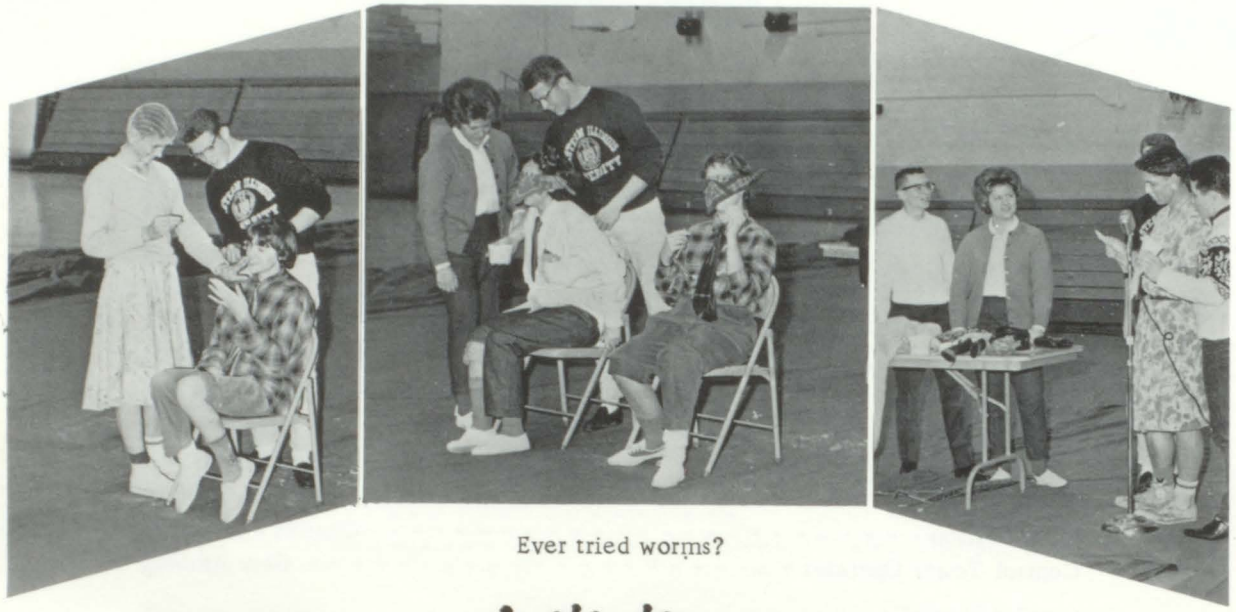

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Narrator: Jim Crouch
Accompanist: Pam Katchmar
Reading: "Gift of the Magi" - Gary Schroll
Play: "Hillbilly Christmas" - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Marla Atchison, Bob Mathews
Melanie McGuire, Ted Thompson
Donna Moberly, Jack DeClerk
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Reading: "The Miracle of the Madonna" - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Terry Beard
Reading: "The Night Before Christmas" - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Gary Amberg
Closing - Walt Williams
Santa Claus - Terry Beard
Christmas Carols - Led by Jim Crouch
Jerry Wood

Speech Director - Miss Van Scyoc

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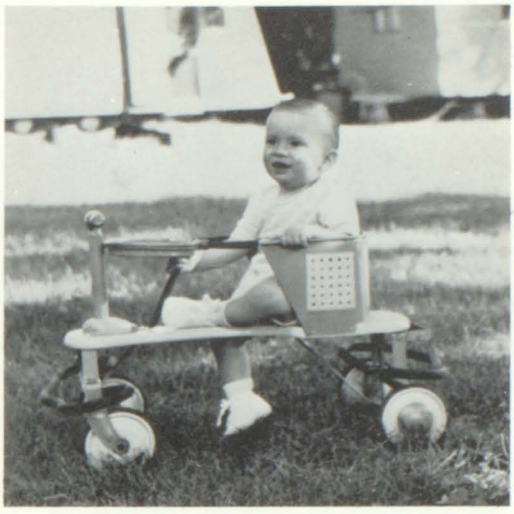

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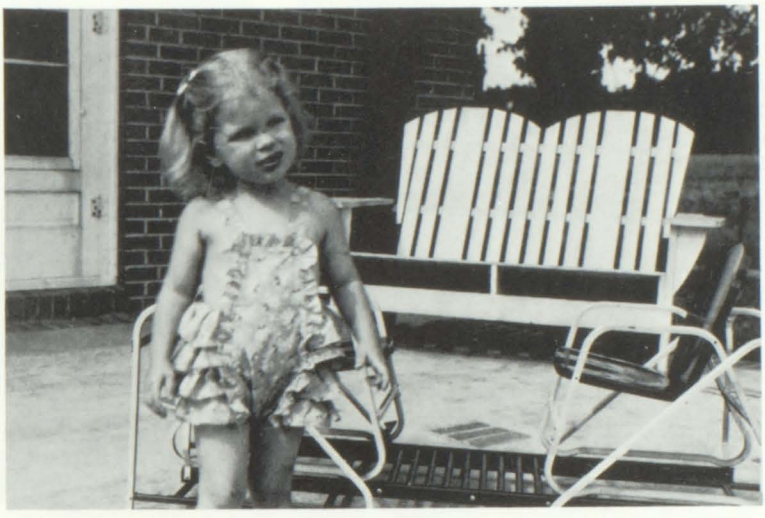

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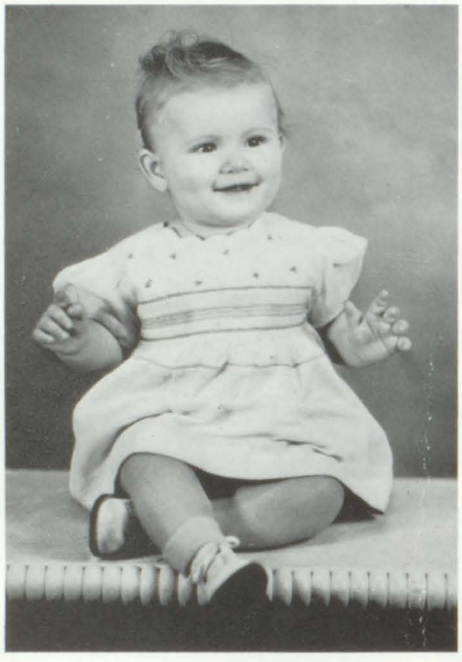

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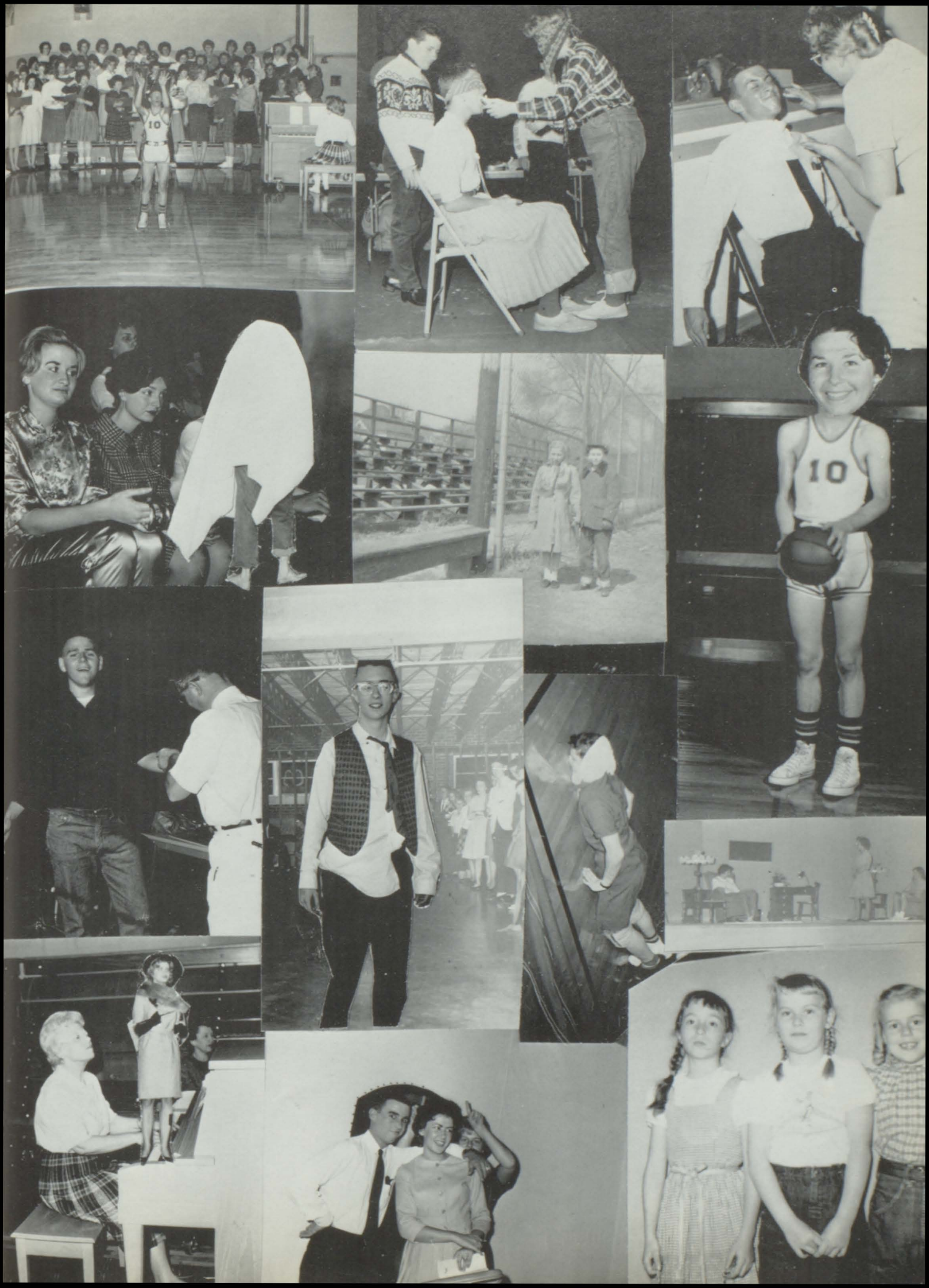

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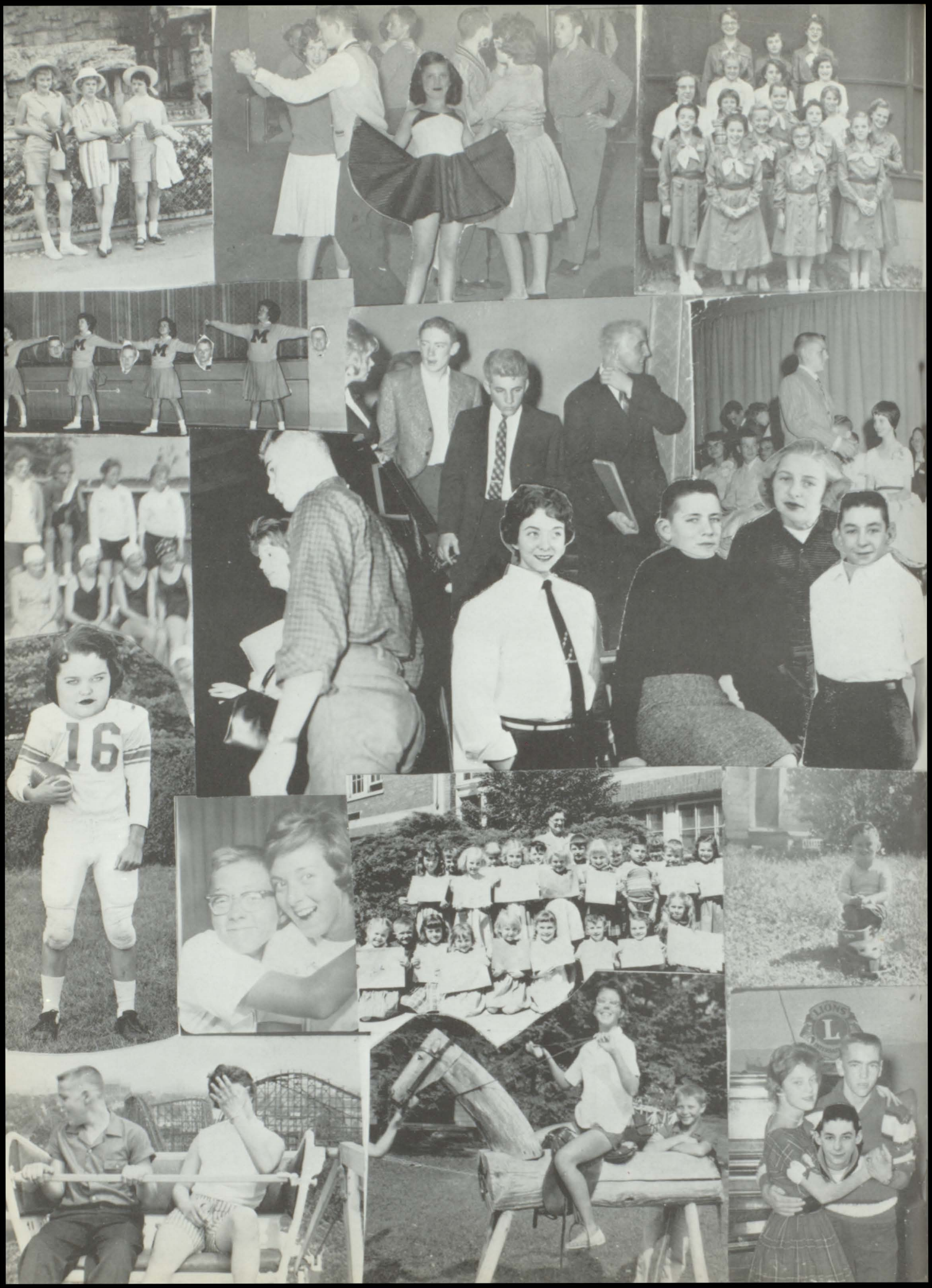

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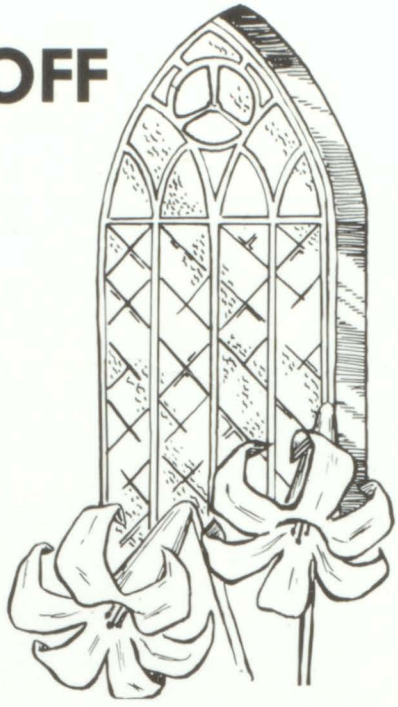

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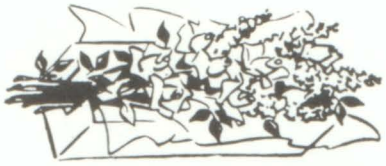

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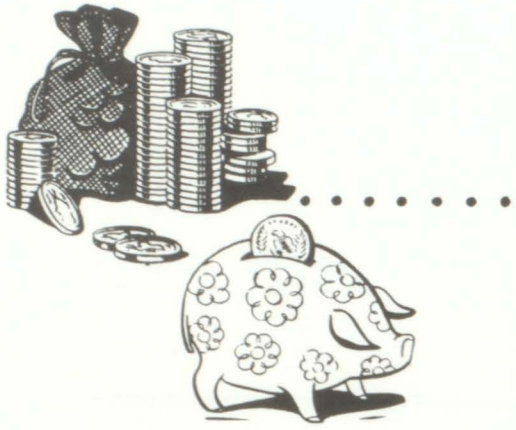

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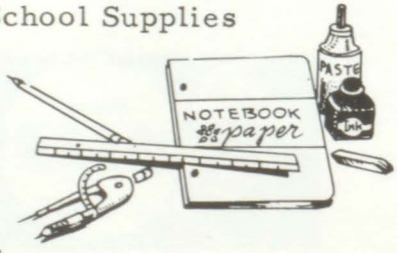

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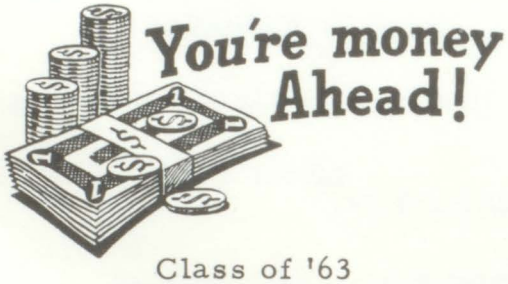

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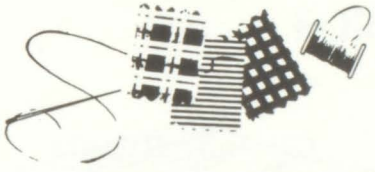

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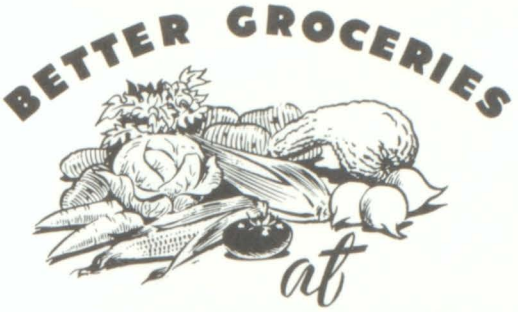

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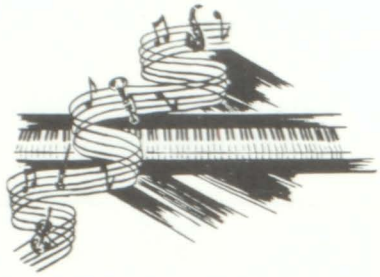

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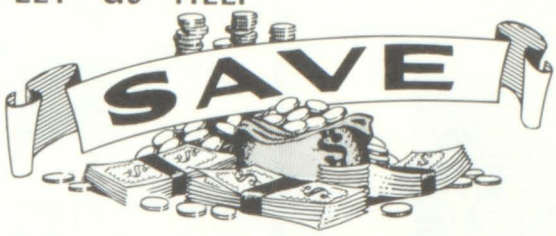

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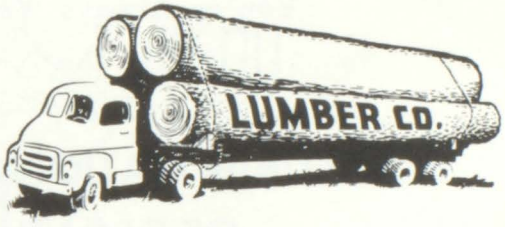

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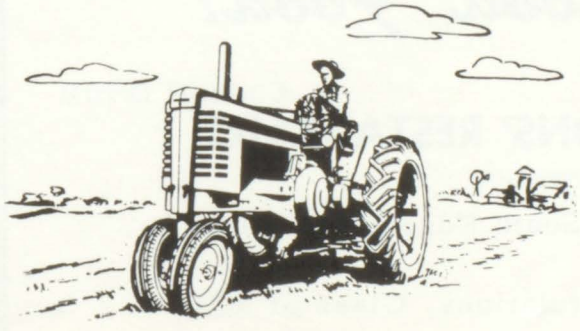

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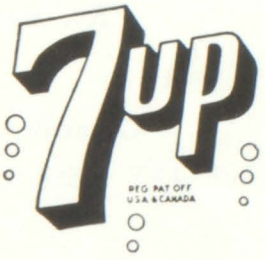

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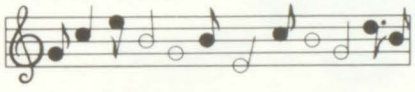
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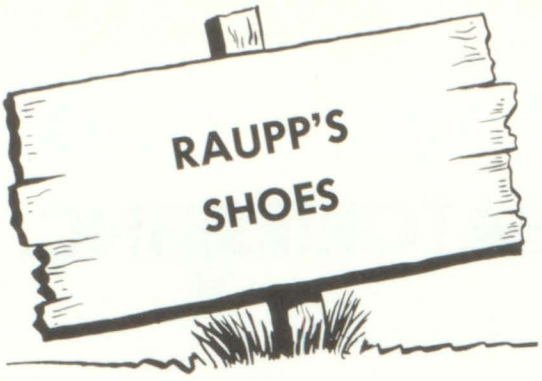

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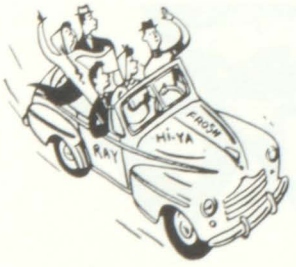

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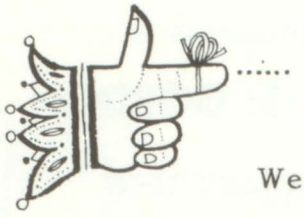

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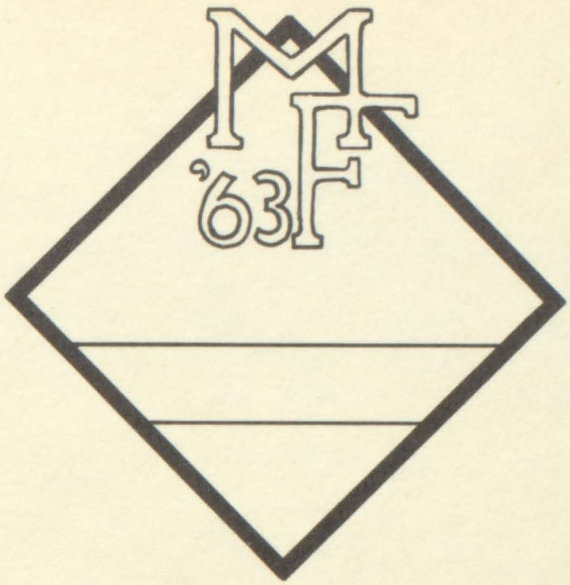

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